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UNIT – I**INTRODUCTION DATA, EXPRESSIONS, STATEMENTS**

Introduction to Python and installation, data types: Int, float, Boolean, string, and list; variables, expressions, statements, precedence of operators, comments; modules, functions--
- function and its use, flow of execution, parameters and arguments.

Introduction to Python and installation:

Python is a widely used general-purpose, high level programming language. It was initially designed by **Guido van Rossum in 1991** and developed by Python Software Foundation. It was mainly developed for emphasis on code readability, and its syntax allows programmers to express concepts in fewer lines of code.

Python is a programming language that lets you work quickly and integrate systems more efficiently.

There are two major Python versions- **Python 2 and Python 3**.

- On 16 October 2000, Python 2.0 was released with many new features.
- On 3rd December 2008, Python 3.0 was released with more testing and includes new features.

Beginning with Python programming:**1) Finding an Interpreter:**

Before we start Python programming, we need to have an interpreter to interpret and run our programs. There are certain online interpreters like <https://ide.geeksforgeeks.org/>, <http://ideone.com/> or <http://codepad.org/> that can be used to start Python without installing an interpreter.

Windows: There are many interpreters available freely to run Python scripts like IDLE (Integrated Development Environment) which is installed when you install the python software from <http://python.org/downloads/>

2) Writing first program:

Script Begins

Statement1

Statement2

Statement3

Script Ends

Differences between scripting language and programming language:

SCRIPTING LANGUAGE	PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE
A programming language that supports scripts: programs written for a special run-time environment that automate the execution of tasks	A formal language, which comprises a set of instructions used to produce various kinds of output
Execution speed is slow	Compiler-based languages are executed much faster while interpreter-based languages are executed slower
Can be divided into client-side scripting languages and server-side scripting languages	Can be divided into high-level, low-level languages or compiler-based or interpreter-based languages
Easier to learn	Not as easy to learn
Ex: JavaScript, Perl, PHP, Python and Ruby	Ex: C, C++, and Assembly
Mostly used for web development	Used to develop various applications such as desktop, web, mobile, etc.

Why to use Python:

The following are the primary factors to use python in day-to-day life:

- 1. Python is object-oriented**

Structure supports such concepts as polymorphism, operation overloading and multiple inheritance.

- 2. Indentation**

Indentation is one of the greatest feature in python

3. It's free (open source)

Downloading python and installing python is free and easy

4. It's Powerful

- Dynamic typing
- Built-in types and tools
- Library utilities
- Third party utilities (e.g. Numeric, NumPy, sciPy)
- Automatic memory management

5. It's Portable

- Python runs virtually every major platform used today
- As long as you have a compatible python interpreter installed, python programs will run in exactly the same manner, irrespective of platform.

6. It's easy to use and learn

- No intermediate compile
- Python Programs are compiled automatically to an intermediate form called byte code, which the interpreter then reads.
- This gives python the development speed of an interpreter without the performance loss inherent in purely interpreted languages.
- Structure and syntax are pretty intuitive and easy to grasp.

7. Interpreted Language

Python is processed at runtime by python Interpreter

8. Interactive Programming Language

Users can interact with the python interpreter directly for writing the programs

9. Straight forward syntax

The formation of python syntax is simple and straight forward which also makes it popular.

Installation:

There are many interpreters available freely to run Python scripts like IDLE (Integrated Development Environment) which is installed when you install the python software from <http://python.org/downloads/>

Steps to be followed and remembered:

Step 1: Select Version of Python to Install.

Step 2: Download Python Executable Installer.

Step 3: Run Executable Installer.

Step 4: Verify Python Was Installed On Windows.

Step 5: Verify Pip Was Installed.

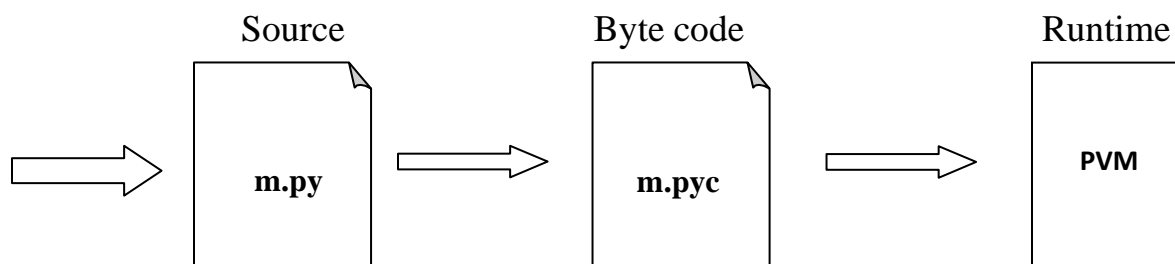
Step 6: Add Python Path to Environment Variables (Optional)



Working with Python

Python Code Execution:

Python's traditional runtime execution model: Source code you type is translated to byte code, which is then run by the Python Virtual Machine (PVM). Your code is automatically compiled, but then it is interpreted.



Source code extension is .py
Byte code extension is .pyc (Compiled python code)

There are two modes for using the Python interpreter:

- Interactive Mode
- Script Mode

Running Python in interactive mode:

Without passing python script file to the interpreter, directly execute code to Python prompt. Once you're inside the python interpreter, then you can start.

```
>>> print("hello world")
```

```
hello world
```

Relevant output is displayed on subsequent lines without the >>> symbol

```
>>> x=[0,1,2]
```

Quantities stored in memory are not displayed by default.

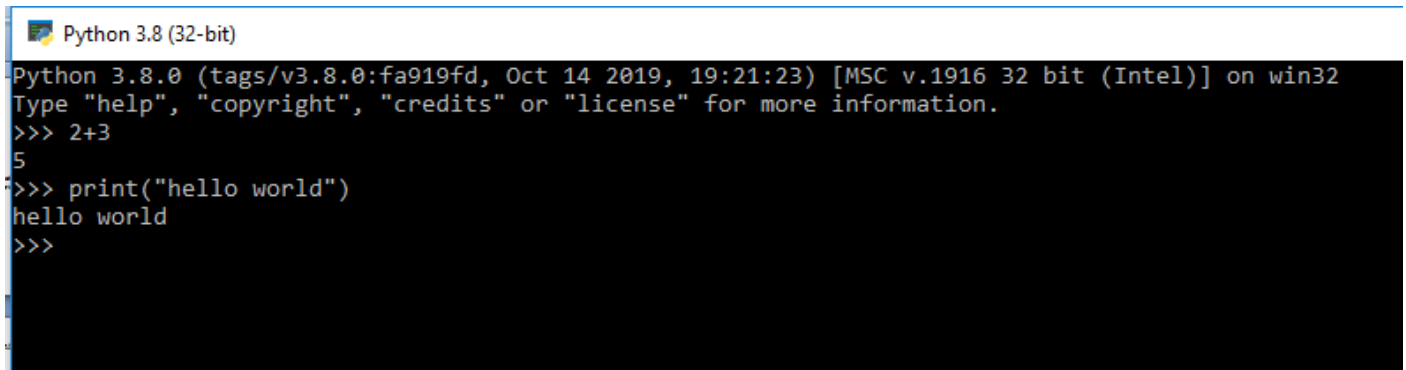
```
>>> x
```

#If a quantity is stored in memory, typing its name will display it.

```
[0, 1, 2]
```

```
>>> 2+3
```

```
5
```

A screenshot of a Python 3.8 (32-bit) interpreter window. The window title is "Python 3.8 (32-bit)". The command prompt shows the following interactions: the user enters "2+3" and the interpreter outputs "5"; the user enters "print('hello world')" and the interpreter outputs "hello world". The prompt ">>>" is visible at the end of the last line.

```
Python 3.8.0 (tags/v3.8.0:fa919fd, Oct 14 2019, 19:21:23) [MSC v.1916 32 bit (Intel)] on win32
Type "help", "copyright", "credits" or "license" for more information.
>>> 2+3
5
>>> print("hello world")
hello world
>>>
```

The chevron at the beginning of the 1st line, i.e., the symbol >>> is a prompt the python interpreter uses to indicate that it is ready. If the programmer types 2+6, the interpreter replies 8.

Running Python in script mode:

Alternatively, programmers can store Python script source code in a file with the .py extension, and use the interpreter to execute the contents of the file. To execute the script by the interpreter, you have to tell the interpreter the name of the file. For example, if you have a script name MyFile.py and you're working on Unix, to run the script you have to type:

python MyFile.py

Working with the interactive mode is better when Python programmers deal with small pieces of code as you can type and execute them immediately, but when the code is more than 2-4 lines, using the script for coding can help to modify and use the code in future.

Example:

```
C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\pyyy>python e1.py
resource open
the no cant be divisibile zero division by zero
resource close
finished
```

Data types:

The data stored in memory can be of many types. For example, a student roll number is stored as a numeric value and his or her address is stored as alphanumeric characters. Python has various standard data types that are used to define the operations possible on them and the storage method for each of them.

Int:

Int, or integer, is a whole number, positive or negative, without decimals, of unlimited length.

```
>>> print(24656354687654+2)
```

```
24656354687656
```

```
>>> print(20)
```

```
20
```

```
>>> print(0b10)
```

```
2
```

```
>>> print(0B10)
```

```
2
```

```
>>> print(0X20)
```

```
32
```

```
>>> 20
```

```
20
```

```
>>> 0b10
```

```
2
```

```
>>> a=10
```

```
>>> print(a)
```

```
10
```

To verify the type of any object in Python, use the type() function:

```
>>> type(10)
```

```
<class 'int'>
```

```
>>> a=11
```

```
>>> print(type(a))
```

```
<class 'int'>
```

Float:

Float, or "floating point number" is a number, positive or negative, containing one or more decimals.

Float can also be scientific numbers with an "e" to indicate the power of 10.

```
>>> y=2.8
```

```
>>> y
```

```
2.8
```

```
>>> y=2.8
```

```
>>> print(type(y))
```

```
<class 'float'>
```

```
>>> type(.4)
```

```
<class 'float'>
```

```
>>> 2.
```

2.0

Example:

```
x = 35e3
```

```
y = 12E4
```

```
z = -87.7e100
```

```
print(type(x))
```

```
print(type(y))
```

```
print(type(z))
```

Output:

```
<class 'float'>
```

```
<class 'float'>
```

```
<class 'float'>
```

Boolean:

Objects of Boolean type may have one of two values, True or False:

```
>>> type(True)
```

```
<class 'bool'>
```

```
>>> type(False)
```

```
<class 'bool'>
```

String:

1. Strings in Python are identified as a contiguous set of characters represented in the quotation marks. Python allows for either pairs of single or double quotes.

- 'hello' is the same as "hello".
- Strings can be output to screen using the print function. **For example: print("hello").**

```
>>> print("mrcet college")
```

```
mrcet college
```

```
>>> type("mrcet college")
```

```
<class 'str'>
```

```
>>> print('mrcet college')
```

```
mrcet college
```

```
>>> " "
```

```
' '
```

If you want to include either type of quote character within the string, the simplest way is to delimit the string with the other type. If a string is to contain a single quote, delimit it with double quotes and vice versa:

```
>>> print("mrcet is an autonomous (' ) college")
```

```
mrcet is an autonomous (' ) college
```

```
>>> print('mrcet is an autonomous (" ) college')
```

```
mrcet is an autonomous (" ) college
```

Suppressing Special Character:

Specifying a backslash (\) in front of the quote character in a string “escapes” it and causes Python to suppress its usual special meaning. It is then interpreted simply as a literal single quote character:

```
>>> print("mrcet is an autonomous (\') college")
```

```
mrcet is an autonomous (' ) college
```

```
>>> print('mrcet is an autonomous (\") college')
```

```
mrcet is an autonomous (" ) college
```

The following is a table of escape sequences which cause Python to suppress the usual special interpretation of a character in a string:

```
>>> print('a\
```

```
....b')
```

```
a. ..b
```

```
>>> print('a\
```

```
b\
```

```
c')
```

```
abc
```

```
>>> print('a \n b')
```

```
a
```

```
b
```

```
>>> print("mrcet \n college")
```

```
mrcet
```

```
college
```

Escape Sequence	Usual Interpretation of Character(s) After Backslash	“Escaped” Interpretation
\'	Terminates string with single quote opening delimiter	Literal single quote (') character
\"	Terminates string with double quote opening delimiter	Literal double quote (") character
\newline	Terminates input line	Newline is ignored
\\	Introduces escape sequence	Literal backslash (\) character

In Python (and almost all other common computer languages), a tab character can be specified by the escape sequence `\t`:

```
>>> print("a\tb")
```

```
a      b
```

List:

- It is a general purpose most widely used in data structures
- List is a collection which is ordered and changeable and allows duplicate members. (Grow and shrink as needed, sequence type, sortable).
- To use a list, you must declare it first. Do this using square brackets and separate values with commas.
- We can construct / create list in many ways.

Ex:

```
>>> list1=[1,2,3,'A','B',7,8,[10,11]]
```

```
>>> print(list1)
```

```
[1, 2, 3, 'A', 'B', 7, 8, [10, 11]]
```

```
-----  
>>> x=list()  
>>> x  
[]  
-----  
>>> tuple1=(1,2,3,4)  
>>> x=list(tuple1)  
>>> x  
[1, 2, 3, 4]
```

Variables:

Variables are nothing but reserved memory locations to store values. This means that when you create a variable you reserve some space in memory.

Based on the data type of a variable, the interpreter allocates memory and decides what can be stored in the reserved memory. Therefore, by assigning different data types to variables, you can store integers, decimals or characters in these variables.

Rules for Python variables:

- A variable name must start with a letter or the underscore character
- A variable name cannot start with a number
- A variable name can only contain alpha-numeric characters and underscores (A-z, 0-9, and _)
- Variable names are case-sensitive (age, Age and AGE are three different variables)

Assigning Values to Variables:

Python variables do not need explicit declaration to reserve memory space. The declaration happens automatically when you assign a value to a variable. The equal sign (=) is used to assign values to variables.

The operand to the left of the = operator is the name of the variable and the operand to the right of the = operator is the value stored in the variable.

For example –

```
a= 100      # An integer assignment
```

```
b = 1000.0    # A floating point
```

```
c = "John"    # A string
```

```
print (a)
```

```
print (b)
```

```
print (c)
```

This produces the following result –

```
100
```

```
1000.0
```

```
John
```

Multiple Assignment:

Python allows you to assign a single value to several variables simultaneously.

For example :

```
a = b = c = 1
```

Here, an integer object is created with the value 1, and all three variables are assigned to the same memory location. You can also assign multiple objects to multiple variables.

For example –

```
a,b,c = 1,2,"mrcet"
```

Here, two integer objects with values 1 and 2 are assigned to variables a and b respectively, and one string object with the value "john" is assigned to the variable c.

Output Variables:

The Python print statement is often used to output variables.

Variables do not need to be declared with any particular type and can even change type after they have been set.

```
x = 5          # x is of type int
x = "mrcet "    # x is now of type str
print(x)
```

Output: mrcet

To combine both text and a variable, Python uses the “+” character:

Example

```
x = "awesome"
print("Python is " + x)
```

Output

Python is awesome

You can also use the + character to add a variable to another variable:

Example

```
x = "Python is "
y = "awesome"
z = x + y
print(z)
```

Output:

Python is awesome

Expressions:

An expression is a combination of values, variables, and operators. An expression is evaluated using assignment operator.

Examples: $Y = x + 17$

```
>>> x=10
```

```
>>> z=x+20
```

```
>>> z
```

```
30
```



```
>>> x=10
>>> y=20
>>> c=x+y
>>> c
30
```

A value all by itself is a simple expression, and so is a variable.

```
>>> y=20
>>> y
20
```

Python also defines expressions only contain identifiers, literals, and operators. So,

Identifiers: Any name that is used to define a class, function, variable module, or object is an identifier.

Literals: These are language-independent terms in Python and should exist independently in any programming language. In Python, there are the string literals, byte literals, integer literals, floating point literals, and imaginary literals.

Operators: In Python you can implement the following operations using the corresponding tokens.

Operator	Token
add	+
subtract	-
multiply	*
Integer Division	/
remainder	%
Binary left shift	<<
Binary right shift	>>
and	&
or	\
Less than	<
Greater than	>
Less than or equal to	<=
Greater than or equal to	>=
Check equality	==
Check not equal	!=

Some of the python expressions are:**Generator expression:****Syntax:** (compute(var) for var in iterable)

```
>>> x = (i for i in 'abc') #tuple comprehension
>>> x
<generator object <genexpr> at 0x033EEC30>

>>> print(x)
<generator object <genexpr> at 0x033EEC30>
```

You might expect this to print as ('a', 'b', 'c') but it prints as <generator object <genexpr> at 0x02AAD710> The result of a tuple comprehension is not a tuple: it is actually a generator. The only thing that you need to know now about a generator now is that you can iterate over it, but ONLY ONCE.

Conditional expression:**Syntax:** true_value if Condition else false_value

```
>>> x = "1" if True else "2"

>>> x

'1'
```

Statements:

A statement is an instruction that the Python interpreter can execute. We have normally two basic statements, the assignment statement and the print statement. Some other kinds of statements that are if statements, while statements, and for statements generally called as control flows.

Examples:

An assignment statement creates new variables and gives them values:

```
>>> x=10
```

```
>>> college="mrcet"
```

An print statement is something which is an input from the user, to be printed / displayed on to the screen (or) monitor.

```
>>> print("mrcet colege")
```

```
mrcet college
```

Precedence of Operators:

Operator precedence affects how an expression is evaluated.

For example, $x = 7 + 3 * 2$; here, x is assigned 13, not 20 because operator * has higher precedence than +, so it first multiplies $3*2$ and then adds into 7.

Example 1:

```
>>> 3+4*2
```

```
11
```

Multiplication gets evaluated before the addition operation

```
>>> (10+10)*2
```

```
40
```

Parentheses () overriding the precedence of the arithmetic operators

Example 2:

```
a = 20
```

```
b = 10
```

```
c = 15
```

```
d = 5
```

```
e = 0
```

```
e = (a + b) * c / d    #( 30 * 15 ) / 5  
print("Value of (a + b) * c / d is ", e)
```

```
e = ((a + b) * c) / d    # (30 * 15 ) / 5  
print("Value of ((a + b) * c) / d is ", e)
```

```
e = (a + b) * (c / d);    # (30) * (15/5)
```

```
print("Value of (a + b) * (c / d) is ", e)
```

```
e = a + (b * c) / d;    # 20 + (150/5)
print("Value of a + (b * c) / d is ", e)
```

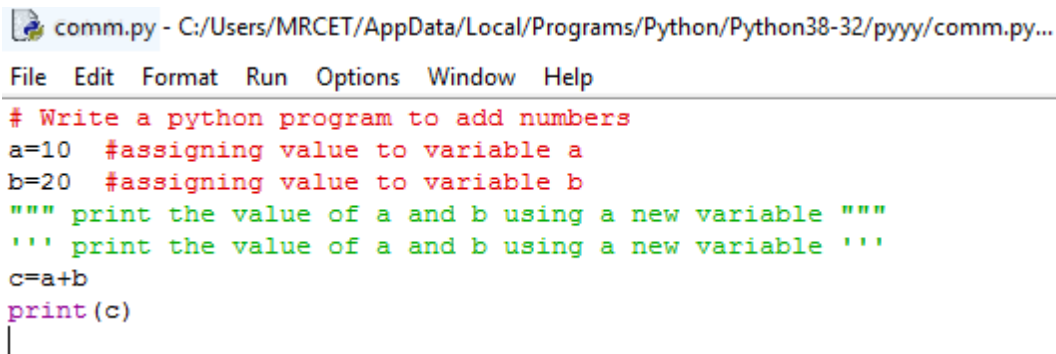
Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/opprec.py
Value of (a + b) * c / d is 90.0
Value of ((a + b) * c) / d is 90.0
Value of (a + b) * (c / d) is 90.0
Value of a + (b * c) / d is 50.0
```

Comments:

Single-line comments begins with a hash(#) symbol and is useful in mentioning that the whole line should be considered as a comment until the end of line.

A **Multi line comment** is useful when we need to comment on many lines. In python, triple double quote(“ “ “) and single quote(‘ ‘ ‘)are used for multi-line commenting.

Example:

```
comm.py - C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/comm.py...
File Edit Format Run Options Window Help
# Write a python program to add numbers
a=10 #assigning value to variable a
b=20 #assigning value to variable b
""" print the value of a and b using a new variable """
''' print the value of a and b using a new variable '''
c=a+b
print(c)
|
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/comm.py
```

```
30
```

Modules:

Modules: Python module can be defined as a python program file which contains a python code including python functions, class, or variables. In other words, we can say that our python code file saved with the extension (.py) is treated as the module. We may have a runnable code inside the python module. A module in Python provides us the flexibility to organize the code in a logical way. To use the functionality of one module into another, we must have to **import** the specific module.

Syntax:

```
import <module-name>
```

Every module has its own functions, those can be accessed with . (dot)

Note: In python we have help ()

Enter the name of any module, keyword, or topic to get help on writing Python programs and using Python modules. To quit this help utility and return to the interpreter, just type "quit".

Some of the modules like os, date, and calendar so on.....

```
>>> import sys
```

```
>>> print(sys.version)
```

```
3.8.0 (tags/v3.8.0:fa919fd, Oct 14 2019, 19:21:23) [MSC v.1916 32 bit (Intel)]
```

```
>>> print(sys.version_info)
```

```
sys.version_info(major=3, minor=8, micro=0, releaselevel='final', serial=0)
```

```
>>> print(calendar.month(2021,5))
```

```
    May 2021
Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su
      1  2
 3  4  5  6  7  8  9
10 11 12 13 14 15 16
17 18 19 20 21 22 23
24 25 26 27 28 29 30
31
```

```
>>> print(calendar.isleap(2020))
```

```
True
```

```
>>> print(calendar.isleap(2017))
```

```
False
```

Functions:

Functions and its use: Function is a group of related statements that perform a specific task. Functions help break our program into smaller and modular chunks. As our program grows larger and larger, functions make it more organized and manageable. It avoids repetition and makes code reusable.

Basically, we can divide functions into the following two types:

1. **Built-in functions** - Functions that are built into Python.

Ex: abs(),all().ascii(),bool().....so on....

```
integer = -20
```

```
print('Absolute value of -20 is:', abs(integer))
```

Output:

Absolute value of -20 is: 20

2. **User-defined functions** - Functions defined by the users themselves.

```
def add_numbers(x,y):  
    sum = x + y  
    return sum
```

```
print("The sum is", add_numbers(5, 20))
```

Output:

The sum is 25

Flow of Execution:

1. The order in which statements are executed is called the flow of execution
2. Execution always begins at the first statement of the program.
3. Statements are executed one at a time, in order, from top to bottom.
4. Function definitions do not alter the flow of execution of the program, but remember that statements inside the function are not executed until the function is called.
5. Function calls are like a bypass in the flow of execution. Instead of going to the next statement, the flow jumps to the first line of the called function, executes all the statements there, and then comes back to pick up where it left off.

Note: When you read a program, don't read from top to bottom. Instead, follow the flow of execution. This means that you will read the def statements as you are scanning from top to bottom, but you should skip the statements of the function definition until you reach a point where that function is called.

Example:

#example for flow of execution

```
print("welcome")
for x in range(3):
    print(x)
print("Good morning college")
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/flowof.py

welcome

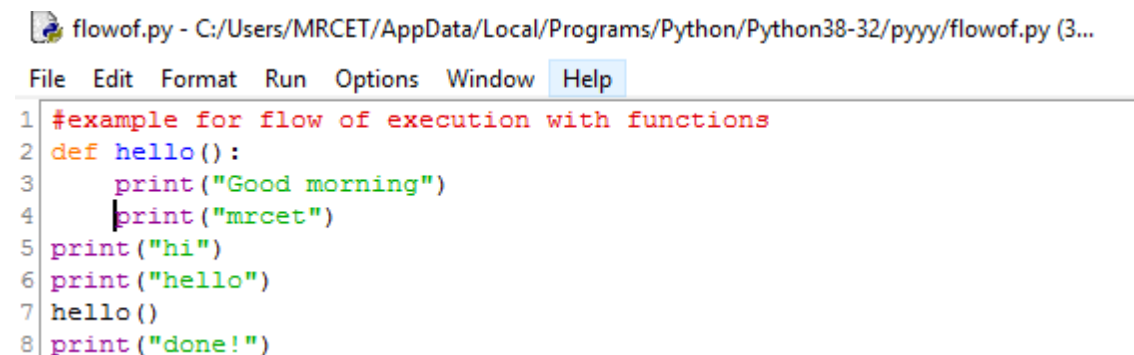
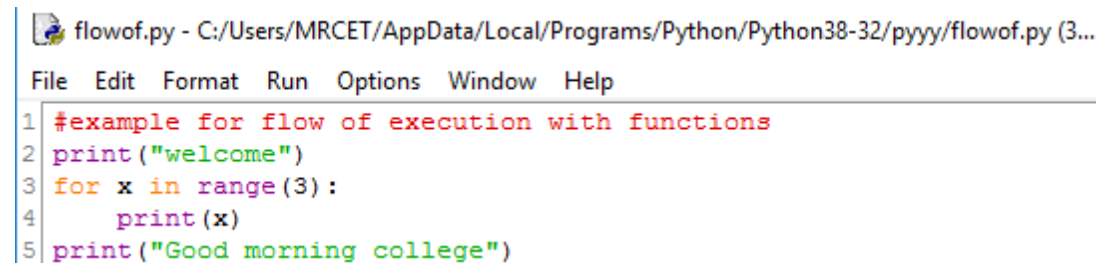
0

1

2

Good morning college

The flow/order of execution is: 2,3,4,3,4,3,4,5



Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/flowof.py

hi

hello

Good morning

mrcet

done!

The flow/order of execution is: 2,5,6,7,2,3,4,7,8

Parameters and arguments:

Parameters are passed during the definition of function while Arguments are passed during the function call.

Example:

#here a and b are parameters

```
def add(a,b): #function definition
    return a+b
```

#12 and 13 are arguments

#function call

```
result=add(12,13)
```

```
print(result)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/paraarg.py

25

There are three types of Python function arguments using which we can call a function.

1. Default Arguments
2. Keyword Arguments
3. Variable-length Arguments

Syntax:

```
def functionname():
```

statements

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functionname()

Function definition consists of following components:

1. Keyword **def** indicates the start of function header.
2. A function name to uniquely identify it. Function naming follows the same rules of writing identifiers in Python.
3. Parameters (arguments) through which we pass values to a function. They are optional.
4. A **colon (:)** to mark the end of function header.
5. Optional documentation string (docstring) to describe what the function does.
6. One or more valid python statements that make up the function body. Statements must have same indentation level (usually 4 spaces).
7. An optional return statement to return a value from the function.

Example:

```
def hf():
```

```
    hello world
```

```
hf()
```

In the above example we are just trying to execute the program by calling the function. So it will not display any error and no output on to the screen but gets executed.

To get the statements of function need to be use print().

#calling function in python:

```
def hf():
```

```
    print("hello world")
```

```
hf()
```

Output:

```
hello world
```

```
-----
```

```
def hf():  
    print("hw")  
    print("gh kfjg 66666")
```

```
hf()
```

```
hf()
```

```
hf()
```

Output:

```
hw  
gh kfjg 66666  
hw  
gh kfjg 66666  
hw  
gh kfjg 66666  
-----
```

```
def add(x,y):
```

```
    c=x+y
```

```
    print(c)
```

```
add(5,4)
```

Output:

```
9
```

```
def add(x,y):
```

```
    c=x+y
```

```
    return c
```

```
print(add(5,4))
```

Output:

```
9  
-----
```

```
def add_sub(x,y):  
    c=x+y  
    d=x-y  
    return c,d  
  
print(add_sub(10,5))
```

Output:

(15, 5)

The **return** statement is used to exit a function and go back to the place from where it was called. This statement can contain expression which gets evaluated and the value is returned. If there is no expression in the statement or the return statement itself is not present inside a function, then the function will return the **None** object.

```
def hf():  
    return "hw"  
  
print(hf())
```

Output:

hw

```
def hf():  
    return "hw"  
  
hf()
```

Output:

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>>>

```
def hello_f():  
    return "hellocollege"  
print(hello_f().upper())
```

Output:

HELLOCOLLEGE

Passing Arguments

```
def hello(wish):  
    return '{}'.format(wish)  
print(hello("mrcet"))
```

Output:

mrcet

Here, the function wish() has two parameters. Since, we have called this function with two arguments, it runs smoothly and we do not get any error. If we call it with different number of arguments, the interpreter will give errors.

```
def wish(name,msg):  
    """This function greets to  
    the person with the provided message"""  
    print("Hello",name + ' ' + msg)  
wish("MRCET","Good morning!")
```

Output:

Hello MRCET Good morning!

Below is a call to this function with one and no arguments along with their respective error messages.

```
>>> wish("MRCET") # only one argument
TypeError: wish() missing 1 required positional argument: 'msg'
>>> wish() # no arguments
TypeError: wish() missing 2 required positional arguments: 'name' and 'msg'
```

```
-----

def hello(wish,hello):

    return "hi" '{}{}'.format(wish,hello)

print(hello("mrcet","college"))
```

Output:

himrcet,college

#Keyword Arguments

When we call a function with some values, these values get assigned to the arguments according to their position.

Python allows functions to be called using keyword arguments. When we call functions in this way, the order (position) of the arguments can be changed.

(Or)

If you have some functions with many parameters and you want to specify only some of them, then you can give values for such parameters by naming them - this is called **keyword arguments** - we use the name (keyword) instead of the position (which we have been using all along) to specify the arguments to the function.

There are two *advantages* - one, using the function is easier since we do not need to worry about the order of the arguments. Two, we can give values to only those parameters which we want, provided that the other parameters have default argument values.

```
def func(a, b=5, c=10):
    print 'a is', a, 'and b is', b, 'and c is', c
```

```
func(3, 7)
func(25, c=24)
func(c=50, a=100)
```

Output:

```
a is 3 and b is 7 and c is 10
a is 25 and b is 5 and c is 24
a is 100 and b is 5 and c is 50
```

Note:

The function named func has one parameter without default argument values, followed by two parameters with default argument values.

In the first usage, func(3, 7), the parameter a gets the value 3, the parameter b gets the value 5 and c gets the default value of 10.

In the second usage func(25, c=24), the variable a gets the value of 25 due to the position of the argument. Then, the parameter c gets the value of 24 due to naming i.e. keyword arguments. The variable b gets the default value of 5.

In the third usage func(c=50, a=100), we use keyword arguments completely to specify the values. Notice, that we are specifying value for parameter c before that for a even though a is defined before c in the function definition.

For example: if you define the function like below

```
def func(b=5, c=10,a): # shows error : non-default argument follows default argument
```

```
-----
```

```
def print_name(name1, name2):
```

```
    """ This function prints the name """
```

```
    print (name1 + " and " + name2 + " are friends")
```

```
#calling the function
```

```
print_name(name2 = 'A',name1 = 'B')
```

Output:

B and A are friends

#Default Arguments

Function arguments can have default values in Python.

We can provide a default value to an argument by using the assignment operator (=)

```
def hello(wish,name='you'):
    return '{}{}'.format(wish,name)

print(hello("good morning"))
```

Output:

good morning,you

```
def hello(wish,name='you'):
    return '{}{}'.format(wish,name)    //print(wish + ' ' + name)

print(hello("good morning","nirosha")) // hello("good morning","nirosha")
```

Output:

good morning,nirosha // good morning nirosha

Note: Any number of arguments in a function can have a default value. But once we have a default argument, all the arguments to its right must also have default values.

This means to say, non-default arguments cannot follow default arguments. For example, if we had defined the function header above as:

```
def hello(name='you', wish):
```

Syntax Error: non-default argument follows default argument

```
def sum(a=4, b=2): #2 is supplied as default argument
```



```
""" This function will print sum of two numbers  
    if the arguments are not supplied  
    it will add the default value """
```

```
print (a+b)
```

```
sum(1,2) #calling with arguments
```

```
sum( ) #calling without arguments
```

Output:

```
3
```

```
6
```

Variable-length arguments

Sometimes you may need more arguments to process function then you mentioned in the definition. If we don't know in advance about the arguments needed in function, we can use variable-length arguments also called arbitrary arguments.

For this an asterisk (*) is placed before a parameter in function definition which can hold non-keyworded variable-length arguments and a double asterisk (**) is placed before a parameter in function which can hold keyworded variable-length arguments.

If we use one asterisk (*) like *var, then all the positional arguments from that point till the end are collected as a tuple called 'var' and if we use two asterisks (**) before a variable like **var, then all the positional arguments from that point till the end are collected as a dictionary called 'var'.

```
def wish(*names):  
    """This function greets all  
    the person in the names tuple."""  
  
    # names is a tuple with arguments  
    for name in names:  
        print("Hello",name)  
  
wish("MRCET","CSE","SIR","MADAM")
```

Output:

Hello MRCET
Hello CSE
Hello SIR
Hello MADAM

#Program to find area of a circle using function use single return value function with argument.

```
pi=3.14
def areaOfCircle(r):

    return pi*r*r
r=int(input("Enter radius of circle"))

print(areaOfCircle(r))
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ful.py
Enter radius of circle 3
28.259999999999998
```

#Program to write sum different product and using arguments with return value function.

```
def calculete(a,b):

    total=a+b

    diff=a-b

    prod=a*b

    div=a/b

    mod=a%b
```

```
    return total,diff,prod,div,mod

a=int(input("Enter a value"))
b=int(input("Enter b value"))

#function call
s,d,p,q,m = calculate(a,b)

print("Sum= ",s,"diff= ",d,"mul= ",p,"div= ",q,"mod= ",m)

#print("diff= ",d)

#print("mul= ",p)

#print("div= ",q)

#print("mod= ",m)
```

Output:

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Enter a value 5

Enter b value 6

Sum= 11 diff= -1 mul= 30 div= 0.8333333333333334 mod= 5

#program to find biggest of two numbers using functions.

```
def biggest(a,b):
    if a>b :
        return a
    else :
        return b

a=int(input("Enter a value"))
b=int(input("Enter b value"))
#function call
big= biggest(a,b)
print("big number= ",big)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py

Enter a value 5

Enter b value-2

big number= 5

#program to find biggest of two numbers using functions. (nested if)

```
def biggest(a,b,c):
```

```
    if a>b :
```

```
        if a>c :
```

```
            return a
```

```
        else :
```

```
            return c
```

```
    else :
```

```
        if b>c :
```

```
            return b
```

```
        else :
```

```
            return c
```

```
a=int(input("Enter a value"))
```

```
b=int(input("Enter b value"))
```

```
c=int(input("Enter c value"))
```

```
#function call
```

```
big=      biggest(a,b,c)
```

```
print("big number= ",big)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py

Enter a value 5

Enter b value -6

Enter c value 7

big number= 7

#Writer a program to read one subject mark and print pass or fail use single return values function with argument.

```
def result(a):
```

```
    if a>40:
```

```
        return "pass"
```

```
else:  
    return "fail"  
a=int(input("Enter one subject marks"))  
  
print(result(a))
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py  
Enter one subject marks 35  
fail
```

#Write a program to display mrcet cse dept 10 times on the screen. (while loop)

```
def usingFunctions():  
    count =0  
    while count<10:  
        print("mrcet cse dept",count)  
        count=count+1  
  
usingFunctions()
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py  
mrcet cse dept 0  
mrcet cse dept 1  
mrcet cse dept 2  
mrcet cse dept 3  
mrcet cse dept 4  
mrcet cse dept 5  
mrcet cse dept 6  
mrcet cse dept 7  
mrcet cse dept 8  
mrcet cse dept 9
```

UNIT – II**CONTROL FLOW, LOOPS**

Conditionals: Boolean values and operators, conditional (if), alternative (if-else), chained conditional (if-elif-else); Iteration: while, for, break, continue.

Control Flow, Loops:**Boolean Values and Operators:**

A boolean expression is an expression that is either true or false. The following examples use the operator `==`, which compares two operands and produces `True` if they are equal and `False` otherwise:

```
>>> 5 == 5
```

```
True
```

```
>>> 5 == 6
```

```
False
```

`True` and `False` are special values that belong to the type `bool`; they are not strings:

```
>>> type(True)
```

```
<class 'bool'>
```

```
>>> type(False)
```

```
<class 'bool'>
```

The `==` operator is one of the relational operators; the others are: `x != y` # `x` is not equal to `y`

`x > y` # `x` is greater than `y` `x < y` # `x` is less than `y`

`x >= y` # `x` is greater than or equal to `y` `x <= y` # `x` is less than or equal to `y`

Note:

All expressions involving relational and logical operators will evaluate to either `true` or `false`

Conditional (if):

The if statement contains a logical expression using which data is compared and a decision is made based on the result of the comparison.

Syntax:

if expression:

 statement(s)

If the boolean expression evaluates to TRUE, then the block of statement(s) inside the if statement is executed. If boolean expression evaluates to FALSE, then the first set of code after the end of the if statement(s) is executed.

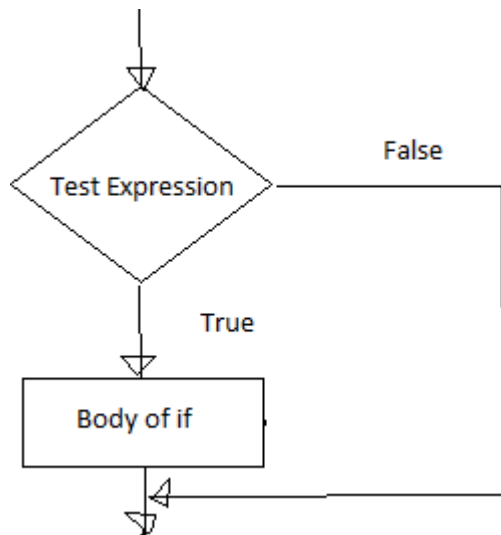
if Statement Flowchart:

Fig: Operation of if statement

Example: Python if Statement

```
a = 3
if a > 2:
    print(a, "is greater")
print("done")
```

```
a = -1
if a < 0:
    print(a, "a is smaller")
print("Finish")
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/if1.py
3 is greater
done
-1 a is smaller
Finish
```

```
-----
a=10
```

```
if a>9:
```

```
    print("A is Greater than 9")
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/if2.py
```

```
A is Greater than 9
```

Alternative if (If-Else):

An else statement can be combined with an if statement. An else statement contains the block of code (false block) that executes if the conditional expression in the if statement resolves to 0 or a FALSE value.

The else statement is an optional statement and there could be at most only one else Statement following if.

Syntax of if - else :

```
    if test expression:
```

```
        Body of if stmts
```

```
    else:
```

```
        Body of else stmts
```

If - else Flowchart :

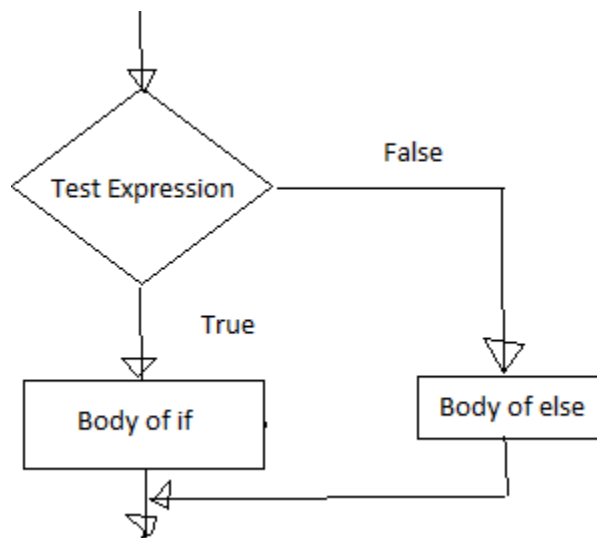


Fig: Operation of if – else statement

Example of if - else:

```
a=int(input('enter the number'))
if a>5:
    print("a is greater")
else:
    print("a is smaller than the input given")
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ifelse.py

enter the number 2

a is smaller than the input given

a=10

b=20

if a>b:

print("A is Greater than B")

else:

print("B is Greater than A")

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/if2.py

B is Greater than A

Chained Conditional: (If-elif-else):

The elif statement allows us to check multiple expressions for TRUE and execute a block of code as soon as one of the conditions evaluates to TRUE. Similar to the else, the elif statement is optional. However, unlike else, for which there can be at most one statement, there can be an arbitrary number of elif statements following an if.

Syntax of if – elif - else :

If test expression:

 Body of if stmts

elif test expression:

 Body of elif stmts

else:

 Body of else stmts

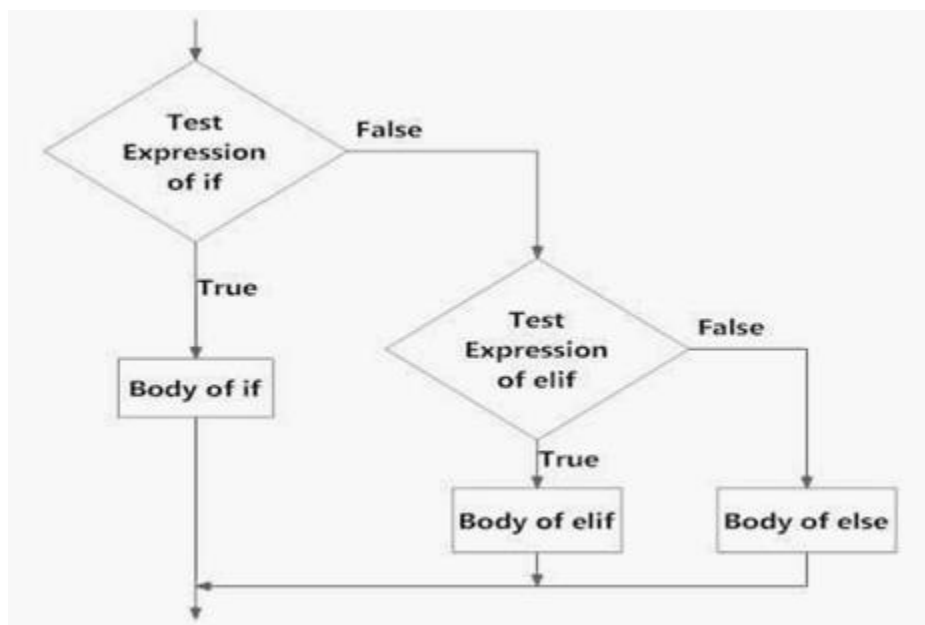
Flowchart of if – elif - else:

Fig: Operation of if – elif - else statement

Example of if - elif – else:

```
a=int(input('enter the number'))
b=int(input('enter the number'))
c=int(input('enter the number'))
if a>b:
```

```
print("a is greater")
elif b>c:
    print("b is greater")
else:
    print("c is greater")
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ifelse.py

enter the number5

enter the number2

enter the number9

a is greater

>>>

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ifelse.py

enter the number2

enter the number5

enter the number9

c is greater

var = 100

if var == 200:

print("1 - Got a true expression value")

print(var)

elif var == 150:

print("2 - Got a true expression value")

print(var)

elif var == 100:

print("3 - Got a true expression value")

print(var)

else:

print("4 - Got a false expression value")

print(var)

print("Good bye!")

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ifelif.py

3 - Got a true expression value

100

Good bye!

Iteration:

A loop statement allows us to execute a statement or group of statements multiple times as long as the condition is true. Repeated execution of a set of statements with the help of loops is called iteration.

Loops statements are used when we need to run same code again and again, each time with a different value.

Statements:

In Python Iteration (Loops) statements are of three types:

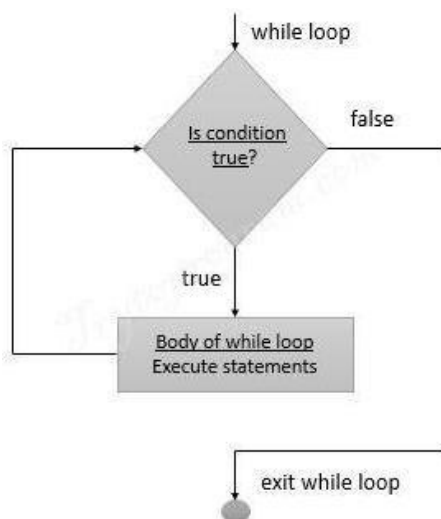
1. While Loop
2. For Loop
3. Nested For Loops

While loop:

- Loops are either infinite or conditional. Python while loop keeps reiterating a block of code defined inside it until the desired condition is met.
- The while loop contains a boolean expression and the code inside the loop is repeatedly executed as long as the boolean expression is true.
- The statements that are executed inside while can be a single line of code or a block of multiple statements.

Syntax:

```
while(expression):  
    Statement(s)
```

Flowchart:

Example Programs:

```
1. _____  
   i=1  
   while i<=6:  
       print("Mrcet college")  
       i=i+1
```

output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/wh1.py

Mrcet college

Mrcet college

Mrcet college

Mrcet college

Mrcet college

Mrcet college

```
2. _____  
   i=1  
  
   while i<=3:  
       print("MRCET",end=" ")  
       j=1  
       while j<=1:  
           print("CSE DEPT",end="")  
           j=j+1  
       i=i+1  
       print()
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/wh2.py

MRCET CSE DEPT

MRCET CSE DEPT

MRCET CSE DEPT

```
3. _____  
  
   i=1
```

```
j=1
while i<=3:
    print("MRCET",end=" ")

    while j<=1:
        print("CSE DEPT",end="")
        j=j+1
    i=i+1
    print()
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/wh3.py

MRCET CSE DEPT
MRCET
MRCET

4. _____

```
i = 1
while (i < 10):
    print (i)
    i = i+1
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/wh4.py

1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9

2. _____

```
a = 1
b = 1
while (a<10):
    print ('Iteration',a)
    a = a + 1
    b = b + 1
```

```
if (b == 4):  
    break  
print ('While loop terminated')
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/wh5.py

Iteration 1

Iteration 2

Iteration 3

While loop terminated

```
count = 0
```

```
while (count < 9):
```

```
    print("The count is:", count)
```

```
    count = count + 1
```

```
print("Good bye!")
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/wh.py =

The count is: 0

The count is: 1

The count is: 2

The count is: 3

The count is: 4

The count is: 5

The count is: 6

The count is: 7

The count is: 8

Good bye!

For loop:

Python **for loop** is used for repeated execution of a group of statements for the desired number of times. It iterates over the items of lists, tuples, strings, the dictionaries and other iterable objects

Syntax: for var in sequence:

Statement(s)

Holds the value of item
in sequence in each iteration

A sequence of values assigned to var in each iteration

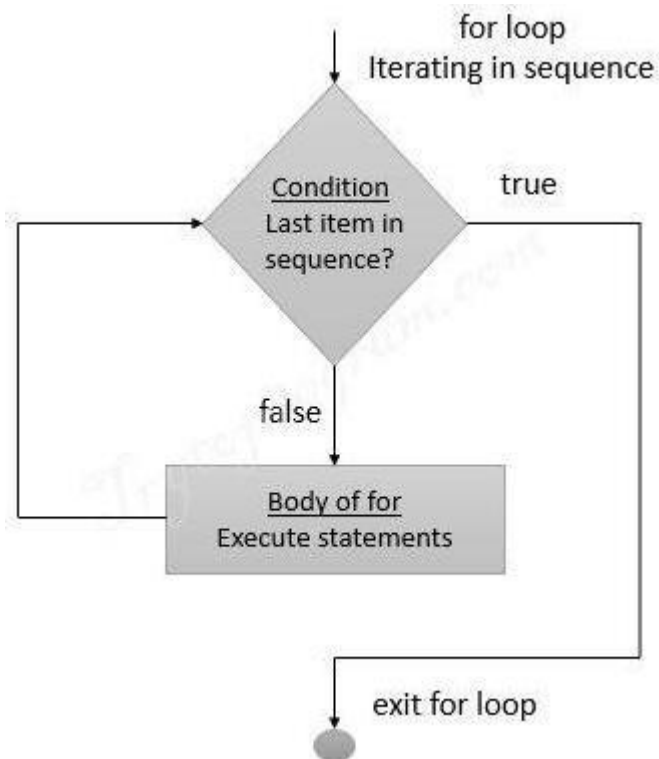
Sample Program:

```
numbers = [1, 2, 4, 6, 11, 20]
seq=0
for val in numbers:
    seq=val*val
    print(seq)
```

Output:

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```
1
4
16
36
121
400
```

Flowchart:

Iterating over a list:

```
#list of items
list = ['M','R','C','E','T']
i = 1

#Iterating over the list
for item in list:
    print ('college ',i,' is ',item)
    i = i+1
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/lis.py
college 1 is M
college 2 is R
college 3 is C
college 4 is E
college 5 is T
```

Iterating over a Tuple:

```
tuple = (2,3,5,7)
print ('These are the first four prime numbers ')
#Iterating over the tuple
for a in tuple:
    print (a)
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fr3.py
These are the first four prime numbers
2
3
5
7
```

Iterating over a dictionary:

```
#creating a dictionary
college = {"ces":"block1","it":"block2","ece":"block3"}

#Iterating over the dictionary to print keys
print ('Keys are:')
```

```
for keys in college:  
    print (keys)
```

```
#Iterating over the dictionary to print values  
print ('Values are:')  
for blocks in college.values():  
    print(blocks)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/dic.py

Keys are:

ces

it

ece

Values are:

block1

block2

block3

Iterating over a String:

```
#declare a string to iterate over  
college = 'MRCET'
```

```
#Iterating over the string  
for name in college:  
    print (name)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/strr.py

M

R

C

E

T

Nested For loop:

When one Loop defined within another Loop is called Nested Loops.

Syntax:

```
for val in sequence:
```

```
    for val in sequence:
```

statements

statements

Example 1 of Nested For Loops (Pattern Programs)

```
for i in range(1,6):  
    for j in range(0,i):  
        print(i, end=" ")  
    print("")
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/nesforr.py

```
1  
2 2  
3 3 3  
4 4 4 4  
5 5 5 5 5
```

Example 2 of Nested For Loops (Pattern Programs)

```
for i in range(1,6):  
    for j in range(5,i-1,-1):  
        print(i, end=" ")  
    print("")
```

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/nesforr.py

Output:

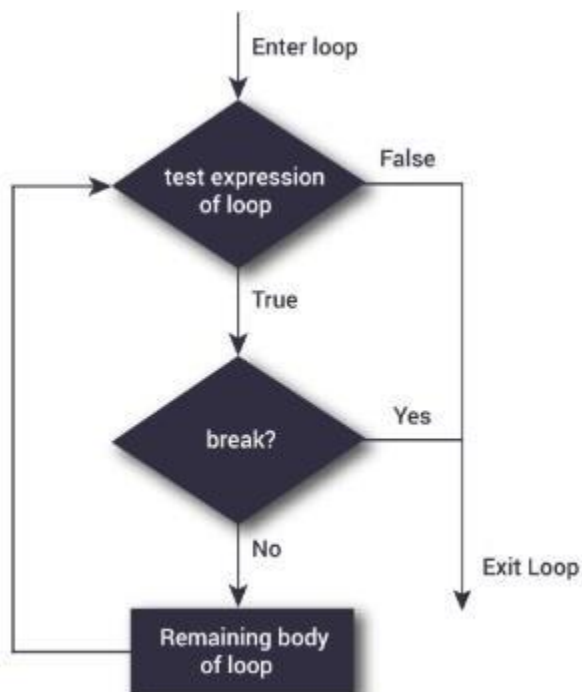
```
1 1 1 1 1  
2 2 2 2  
3 3 3  
4 4
```

Break and continue:

In Python, **break** and **continue** statements can alter the flow of a normal loop. Sometimes we wish to terminate the current iteration or even the whole loop without checking test expression. The break and continue statements are used in these cases.

Break:

The break statement terminates the loop containing it and control of the program flows to the statement immediately after the body of the loop. If break statement is inside a nested loop (loop inside another loop), break will terminate the innermost loop.

Flowchart:

The following shows the working of break statement in for and while loop:

for var in sequence:

 # code inside for loop

 If condition:

 break (if break condition satisfies it jumps to outside loop)

 # code inside for loop

code outside for loop

while test expression

 # code inside while loop

 If condition:

 break (if break condition satisfies it jumps to outside loop)

 # code inside while loop

code outside while loop

Example:

```
for val in "MRCET COLLEGE":
```

```
    if val == " ":
```

```
        break
```

```
    print(val)
```

```
print("The end")
```

Output:

M

R

C

E

T

The end

Program to display all the elements before number 88

```
for num in [11, 9, 88, 10, 90, 3, 19]:
```

```
    print(num)
```

```
    if(num==88):
```

```
        print("The number 88 is found")
```

```
        print("Terminating the loop")
```

```
        break
```

Output:

11

9

88

The number 88 is found

Terminating the loop

```
# _____  
for letter in "Python": # First Example  
    if letter == "h":  
        break  
    print("Current Letter :", letter )
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/br.py =

Current Letter : P

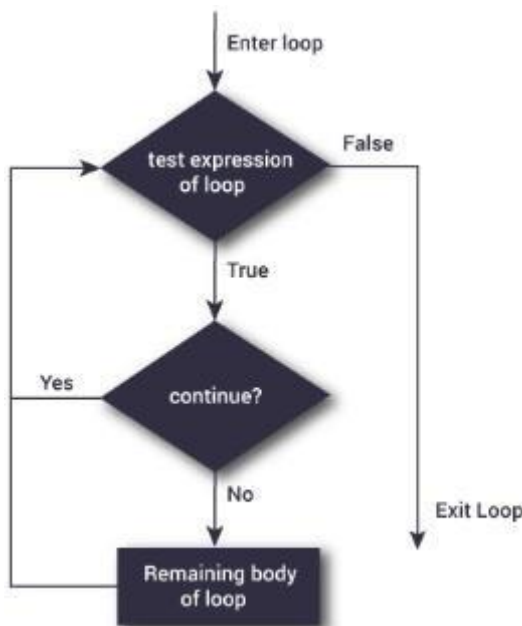
Current Letter : y

Current Letter : t

Continue:

The continue statement is used to skip the rest of the code inside a loop for the current iteration only. Loop does not terminate but continues on with the next iteration.

Flowchart:



The following shows the working of break statement in for and while loop:

for var in sequence:

 # code inside for loop

 If condition:

 continue (if break condition satisfies it jumps to outside loop)

 # code inside for loop

code outside for loop

while test expression

 # code inside while loop

 If condition:

 continue (if break condition satisfies it jumps to outside loop)

 # code inside while loop

code outside while loop

Example:

Program to show the use of continue statement inside loops

```
for val in "string":
```

```
    if val == "i":
```

```
        continue
```

```
    print(val)
```

```
print("The end")
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/cont.py
```

```
s
```

```
t
```

```
r
```

```
n
```

```
g
```

```
The end
```

```
# program to display only odd numbers
```

```
for num in [20, 11, 9, 66, 4, 89, 44]:
```

```
# Skipping the iteration when number is even
if num%2 == 0:
    continue
# This statement will be skipped for all even numbers
print(num)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/cont2.py

11

9

89

```
# _____
for letter in "Python": # First Example
    if letter == "h":
        continue
    print("Current Letter :", letter)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/con1.py

Current Letter : P

Current Letter : y

Current Letter : t

Current Letter : o

Current Letter : n

Pass:

In Python programming, pass is a null statement. The difference between a comment and pass statement in Python is that, while the interpreter ignores a comment entirely, pass is not ignored.

pass is just a placeholder for functionality to be added later.

Example:

```
sequence = {'p', 'a', 's', 's'}
for val in sequence:
    pass
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fl.y.py


```
>>>
```

Similarly we can also write,

```
def f(arg): pass    # a function that does nothing (yet)
```

```
class C: pass      # a class with no methods (yet)
```

FUNCTIONS, ARRAYS

Fruitful functions: return values, parameters, local and global scope, function composition, recursion; Strings: string slices, immutability, string functions and methods, string module; Python arrays, Access the Elements of an Array, array methods.

Functions, Arrays:

Fruitful functions:

We write functions that return values, which we will call fruitful functions. We have seen the return statement before, but in a fruitful function the return statement includes a return value. This statement means: "Return immediately from this function and use the following expression as a return value."

(or)

Any function that returns a value is called Fruitful function. A Function that does not return a value is called a void function

Return values:

The Keyword return is used to return back the value to the called function.

returns the area of a circle with the given radius:

```
def area(radius):  
    temp = 3.14 * radius**2  
    return temp  
print(area(4))
```

(or)

```
def area(radius):  
    return 3.14 * radius**2  
print(area(2))
```

Sometimes it is useful to have multiple return statements, one in each branch of a conditional:

```
def absolute_value(x):  
    if x < 0:
```

```
    return -x
else:
    return x
```

Since these return statements are in an alternative conditional, only one will be executed.

As soon as a return statement executes, the function terminates without executing any subsequent statements. Code that appears after a return statement, or any other place the flow of execution can never reach, is called dead code.

In a fruitful function, it is a good idea to ensure that every possible path through the program hits a return statement. For example:

```
def absolute_value(x):
    if x < 0:
        return -x
    if x > 0:
        return x
```

This function is incorrect because if x happens to be 0, both conditions are true, and the function ends without hitting a return statement. If the flow of execution gets to the end of a function, the return value is `None`, which is not the absolute value of 0.

```
>>> print absolute_value(0)
None
```

By the way, Python provides a built-in function called `abs` that computes absolute values.

Write a Python function that takes two lists and returns True if they have at least one common member.

```
def common_data(list1, list2):
    for x in list1:
        for y in list2:
            if x == y:
                result = True
                return result
print(common_data([1,2,3,4,5], [1,2,3,4,5]))
print(common_data([1,2,3,4,5], [1,7,8,9,10]))
print(common_data([1,2,3,4,5], [6,7,8,9,10]))
```

Output:

C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\pyyy\fu1.py

```
True
True
None
```

```
#_____
```

```
def area(radius):
    b = 3.14159 * radius**2
    return b
```

Parameters:

Parameters are passed during the definition of function while Arguments are passed during the function call.

Example:

#here a and b are parameters

```
def add(a,b): #function definition
    return a+b
```

```
#12 and 13 are arguments
#function call
result=add(12,13)
print(result)
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/paraarg.py
```

```
25
```

Some examples on functions:

To display vandemataram by using function use no args no return type

```
#function defination
def display():
    print("vandemataram")
print("i am in main")
```

```
#function call  
display()  
print("i am in main")
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py  
i am in main  
vandemataram  
i am in main
```

#Type1 : No parameters and no return type

```
def Fun1() :  
    print("function 1")  
Fun1()
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py  
  
function 1
```

#Type 2: with param with out return type

```
def fun2(a) :  
    print(a)  
fun2("hello")
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py  
  
Hello
```

#Type 3: without param with return type

```
def fun3():  
    return "welcome to python"  
print(fun3())
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py
```

```
welcome to python
```

#Type 4: with param with return type

```
def fun4(a):  
    return a  
print(fun4("python is better then c"))
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py
```

```
python is better then c
```

Local and Global scope:**Local Scope:**

A variable which is defined inside a function is local to that function. It is accessible from the point at which it is defined until the end of the function, and exists for as long as the function is executing

Global Scope:

A variable which is defined in the main body of a file is called a global variable. It will be visible throughout the file, and also inside any file which imports that file.

- The variable defined inside a function can also be made global by using the global statement.

```
def function_name(args):  
    .....  
    global x    #declaring global variable inside a function  
    .....
```

create a global variable

```
x = "global"

def f():
    print("x inside :", x)

f()
print("x outside:", x)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py

```
x inside : global
x outside: global
```

create a local variable

```
def f1():
    y = "local"
    print(y)

f1()
```

Output:

```
local
```

- If we try to access the local variable outside the scope for example,

```
def f2():
    y = "local"

f2()
print(y)
```

Then when we try to run it shows an error,

Traceback (most recent call last):

File "C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py", line 6, in <module>

```
print(y)
NameError: name 'y' is not defined
```

The output shows an error, because we are trying to access a local variable y in a global scope whereas the local variable only works inside f2() or local scope.

use local and global variables in same code

```
x = "global"

def f3():
    global x
    y = "local"
    x = x * 2
    print(x)
    print(y)

f3()
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py
globalglobal
local
```

- In the above code, we declare x as a global and y as a local variable in the f3(). Then, we use multiplication operator * to modify the global variable x and we print both x and y.
- After calling the f3(), the value of x becomes global global because we used the x * 2 to print two times global. After that, we print the value of local variable y i.e local.

use Global variable and Local variable with same name

```
x = 5

def f4():
    x = 10
    print("local x:", x)

f4()
print("global x:", x)
```


Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/fu1.py

local x: 10

global x: 5

Function Composition:

Having two (or more) functions where the output of one function is the input for another. So for example if you have two functions FunctionA and FunctionB you compose them by doing the following.

FunctionB(FunctionA(x))

Here x is the input for FunctionA and the result of that is the input for FunctionB.

Example 1:**#create a function compose2**

```
>>> def compose2(f, g):  
    return lambda x:f(g(x))
```

```
>>> def d(x):  
    return x*2
```

```
>>> def e(x):  
    return x+1
```

```
>>> a=compose2(d,e) # FunctionC = compose(FunctionB,FunctionA)
```

```
>>> a(5)           # FunctionC(x)
```

```
12
```

In the above program we tried to compose n functions with the main function created.

Example 2:

```
>>> colors=('red','green','blue')
```

```
>>> fruits=['orange','banana','cherry']
```

```
>>> zip(colors,fruits)
```

```
<zip object at 0x03DAC6C8>
```

```
>>> list(zip(colors,fruits))
```

```
[('red', 'orange'), ('green', 'banana'), ('blue', 'cherry')]
```

Recursion:

Recursion is the process of defining something in terms of itself.

Python Recursive Function

We know that in Python, a function can call other functions. It is even possible for the function to call itself. These type of construct are termed as recursive functions.

Factorial of a number is the product of all the integers from 1 to that number. For example, the factorial of 6 (denoted as 6!) is $1*2*3*4*5*6 = 720$.

Following is an example of recursive function to find the factorial of an integer.

```
# Write a program to factorial using recursion
```

```
def fact(x):  
    if x==0:  
        result = 1  
    else :  
        result = x * fact(x-1)  
    return result  
print("zero factorial",fact(0))  
print("five factorial",fact(5))
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/rec.py
```

```
zero factorial 1
```

```
five factorial 120
```

```
-----  
def calc_factorial(x):  
    """This is a recursive function  
    to find the factorial of an integer"""  
  
    if x == 1:  
        return 1  
    else:  
        return (x * calc_factorial(x-1))
```

```
num = 4
print("The factorial of", num, "is", calc_factorial(num))
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/rec.py

The factorial of 4 is 24

Strings:

A string is a group/ a sequence of characters. Since Python has no provision for arrays, we simply use strings. This is how we declare a string. We can use a pair of single or double quotes. Every string object is of the type 'str'.

```
>>> type("name")
<class 'str'>
>>> name=str()
>>> name
''
>>> a=str('mrcet')
>>> a
'mrcet'
>>> a=str(mrcet)
>>> a[2]
'c'
>>> fruit = 'banana'
>>> letter = fruit[1]
```

The second statement selects character number 1 from fruit and assigns it to letter. The expression in brackets is called an index. The index indicates which character in the sequence we want

String slices:

A segment of a string is called a slice. Selecting a slice is similar to selecting a character:

Subsets of strings can be taken using the slice operator (**[] and [:]**) with indexes starting at 0 in the beginning of the string and working their way from -1 at the end.

Slice out substrings, sub lists, sub Tuples using index.

Syntax:[Start: stop: steps]

- Slicing will start from index and will go up to **stop** in **step** of steps.
- Default value of start is 0,

- Stop is last index of list
- And for step default is 1

For example 1–

```
str = 'Hello World!'
```

```
print str # Prints complete string
```

```
print str[0] # Prints first character of the string
```

```
print str[2:5] # Prints characters starting from 3rd to 5th
```

```
print str[2:] # Prints string starting from 3rd character print
```

```
str * 2 # Prints string two times
```

```
print str + "TEST" # Prints concatenated string
```

Output:

Hello World!

H

llo

llo World!

Hello World!Hello World!

Hello World!TEST

Example 2:

```
>>> x='computer'
```

```
>>> x[1:4]
```

```
'omp'
```

```
>>> x[1:6:2]
```

```
'opt'
```

```
>>> x[3:]
```

```
'puter'
>>> x[:5]
'compu'
>>> x[-1]
'r'
>>> x[-3:]
'ter'
>>> x[:-2]
'comput'
>>> x[::-2]
'rtpo'
>>> x[::-1]
'retupmoc'
```

Immutability:

It is tempting to use the [] operator on the left side of an assignment, with the intention of changing a character in a string.

For example:

```
>>> greeting='mrcet college!'
>>> greeting[0]='n'
```

TypeError: 'str' object does not support item assignment

The reason for the error is that strings are **immutable**, which means we can't change an existing string. The best we can do is creating a new string that is a variation on the original:

```
>>> greeting = 'Hello, world!'
>>> new_greeting = 'J' + greeting[1:]
>>> new_greeting
'Jello, world!'
```

Note: The plus (+) sign is the string concatenation operator and the asterisk (*) is the repetition operator

String functions and methods:

There are many methods to operate on String.

S.no	Method name	Description
1.	isalnum()	Returns true if string has at least 1 character and all characters are alphanumeric and false otherwise.
2.	isalpha()	Returns true if string has at least 1 character and all characters are alphabetic and false otherwise.
3.	isdigit()	Returns true if string contains only digits and false otherwise.
4.	islower()	Returns true if string has at least 1 cased character and all cased characters are in lowercase and false otherwise.
5.	isnumeric()	Returns true if a string contains only numeric characters and false otherwise.
6.	isspace()	Returns true if string contains only whitespace characters and false otherwise.
7.	istitle()	Returns true if string is properly “titlecased” and false otherwise.
8.	isupper()	Returns true if string has at least one cased character and all cased characters are in uppercase and false otherwise.
9.	replace(old, new [, max])	Replaces all occurrences of old in string with new or at most max occurrences if max given.
10.	split()	Splits string according to delimiter str (space if not provided) and returns list of substrings;
11.	count()	Occurrence of a string in another string
12.	find()	Finding the index of the first occurrence of a string in another string
13.	swapcase()	Converts lowercase letters in a string to uppercase and viceversa
14.	startswith(str, beg=0, end=len(string))	Determines if string or a substring of string (if starting index beg and ending index end are given) starts with substring str; returns true if so and false otherwise.

Note:

All the string methods will be returning either true or false as the result

1. isalnum():

isalnum() method returns true if string has at least 1 character and all characters are alphanumeric and false otherwise.

Syntax:

String.isalnum()

Example:

```
>>> string="123alpha"
>>> string.isalnum() True
```

2. isalpha():

isalpha() method returns true if string has at least 1 character and all characters are alphabetic and false otherwise.

Syntax:

String.isalpha()

Example:

```
>>> string="nikhil"
>>> string.isalpha()
True
```

3. isdigit():

isdigit() returns true if string contains only digits and false otherwise.

Syntax:

String.isdigit()

Example:

```
>>> string="123456789"
>>> string.isdigit()
True
```

4. islower():

islower() returns true if string has characters that are in lowercase and false otherwise.

Syntax:

String.islower()

Example:

```
>>> string="nikhil"  
>>> string.islower()  
True
```

5. isnumeric():

isnumeric() method returns true if a string contains only numeric characters and false otherwise.

Syntax:

String.isnumeric()

Example:

```
>>> string="123456789"  
>>> string.isnumeric()  
True
```

6. isspace():

isspace() returns true if string contains only whitespace characters and false otherwise.

Syntax:

String.isspace()

Example:

```
>>> string=" "  
>>> string.isspace()  
True
```

7. istitle()

istitle() method returns true if string is properly “titlecased”(starting letter of each word is capital) and false otherwise

Syntax:

String.istitle()

Example:

```
>>> string="Nikhil Is Learning"
>>> string.istitle()
True
```

8. isupper()

isupper() returns true if string has characters that are in uppercase and false otherwise.

Syntax:

String.isupper()

Example:

```
>>> string="HELLO"
>>> string.isupper()
True
```

9. replace()

replace() method replaces all occurrences of old in string with new or at most max occurrences if max given.

Syntax:

String.replace()

Example:

```
>>> string="Nikhil Is Learning"
>>> string.replace('Nikhil','Neha')
'Neha Is Learning'
```

10.split()

split() method splits the string according to delimiter str (space if not provided)

Syntax:

String.split()

Example:

```
>>> string="Nikhil Is Learning"
>>> string.split()
```

```
['Nikhil', 'Is', 'Learning']
```

11.count()

count() method counts the occurrence of a string in another string Syntax:

String.count()

Example:

```
>>> string='Nikhil Is Learning'
>>> string.count('i')
3
```

12.find()

Find() method is used for finding the index of the first occurrence of a string in another string

Syntax:

String.find(„string“)

Example:

```
>>> string="Nikhil Is Learning"
>>> string.find('k')
2
```

13.swapcase()

converts lowercase letters in a string to uppercase and viceversa

Syntax:

String.find(„string“)

Example:

```
>>> string="HELLO"
>>> string.swapcase()
'hello'
```

14.startswith()

Determines if string or a substring of string (if starting index beg and ending index end are given) starts with substring str; returns true if so and false otherwise.

Syntax:

```
String.startswith(,string“)
```

Example:

```
>>> string="Nikhil Is Learning"
>>> string.startswith('N')
True
```

15.endswith()

Determines if string or a substring of string (if starting index beg and ending index end are given) ends with substring str; returns true if so and false otherwise.

Syntax:

```
String.endswith(,string“)
```

Example:

```
>>> string="Nikhil Is Learning"
>>> string.startswith('g')
True
```

String module:

This module contains a number of functions to process standard Python strings. In recent versions, most functions are available as string methods as well.

It's a built-in module and we have to **import** it before using any of its constants and classes

Syntax: import string

Note:

help(string) --- gives the information about all the variables ,functions, attributes and classes to be used in string module.

Example:

```
import string
print(string.ascii_letters)
print(string.ascii_lowercase)
print(string.ascii_uppercase)
print(string.digits)
```

```
print(string.hexdigits)
#print(string.whitespace)
print(string.punctuation)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/strrmodl.py

```
=====
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyzABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
0123456789
0123456789abcdefABCDEF
!"#$%&'()*+,-./:;<=>?@[\\]^_`{|}~
```

Python String Module Classes

Python string module contains two classes – Formatter and Template.

Formatter

It behaves exactly same as str.format() function. This class becomes useful if you want to subclass it and define your own format string syntax.

Syntax: from string import Formatter

Template

This class is used to create a string template for simpler string substitutions

Syntax: from string import Template

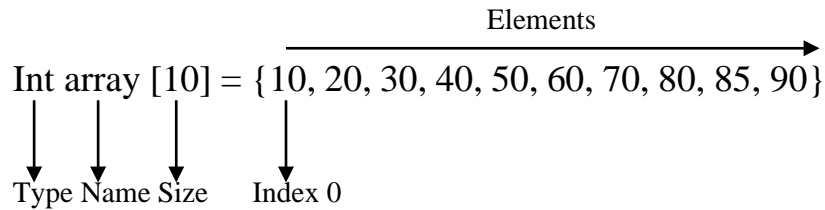
Python arrays:

Array is a container which can hold a fix number of items and these items should be of the same type. Most of the data structures make use of arrays to implement their algorithms. Following are the important terms to understand the concept of Array.

- **Element**– Each item stored in an array is called an element.
- **Index** – Each location of an element in an array has a numerical index, which is used to identify the element.

Array Representation

Arrays can be declared in various ways in different languages. Below is an illustration.



As per the above illustration, following are the important points to be considered.

- Index starts with 0.
- Array length is 10 which means it can store 10 elements.
- Each element can be accessed via its index. For example, we can fetch an element at index 6 as 70

Basic Operations

Following are the basic operations supported by an array.

- Traverse – print all the array elements one by one.
- Insertion – Adds an element at the given index.
- Deletion – Deletes an element at the given index.
- Search – Searches an element using the given index or by the value.
- Update – Updates an element at the given index.

Array is created in Python by importing array module to the python program. Then the array is declared as shown below.

```
from array import *
```

```
arrayName=array(typecode, [initializers])
```

Typecode are the codes that are used to define the type of value the array will hold. Some common typecodes used are:

Typecode	Value
b	Represents signed integer of size 1 byte
B	Represents unsigned integer of size 1 byte

c	Represents character of size 1 byte
i	Represents signed integer of size 2 bytes
l	Represents unsigned integer of size 2 bytes
f	Represents floating point of size 4 bytes
d	Represents floating point of size 8 bytes

Creating an array:

```
from array import *  
array1 = array('i', [10,20,30,40,50])  
for x in array1:  
    print(x)
```

Output:

```
>>>
```

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```
10  
20  
30  
40  
50
```

Access the elements of an Array:**Accessing Array Element**

We can access each element of an array using the index of the element.

```
from array import *  
array1 = array('i', [10,20,30,40,50])  
print (array1[0])  
print (array1[2])
```

Output:

```
RESTART: C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/arr2.py
10
30
```

Array methods:

Python has a set of built-in methods that you can use on lists/arrays.

Method	Description
<u>append()</u>	Adds an element at the end of the list
<u>clear()</u>	Removes all the elements from the list
<u>copy()</u>	Returns a copy of the list
<u>count()</u>	Returns the number of elements with the specified value
<u>extend()</u>	Add the elements of a list (or any iterable), to the end of the current list
<u>index()</u>	Returns the index of the first element with the specified value
<u>insert()</u>	Adds an element at the specified position
<u>pop()</u>	Removes the element at the specified position
<u>remove()</u>	Removes the first item with the specified value
<u>reverse()</u>	Reverses the order of the list
<u>sort()</u>	Sorts the list

Note: Python does not have built-in support for Arrays, but Python Lists can be used instead.

Example:

```
>>> college=["mrcet","it","cse"]
>>> college.append("autonomous")
>>> college
['mrcet', 'it', 'cse', 'autonomous']
>>> college.append("eee")
>>> college.append("ece")
>>> college
['mrcet', 'it', 'cse', 'autonomous', 'eee', 'ece']
>>> college.pop()
'ece'
>>> college
['mrcet', 'it', 'cse', 'autonomous', 'eee']
>>> college.pop(4)
'eee'
>>> college
['mrcet', 'it', 'cse', 'autonomous']
>>> college.remove("it")
>>> college
['mrcet', 'cse', 'autonomous']
```


UNIT – IV**LISTS, TUPLES, DICTIONARIES**

Lists: list operations, list slices, list methods, list loop, mutability, aliasing, cloning lists, list parameters, list comprehension; **Tuples:** tuple assignment, tuple as return value, tuple comprehension; **Dictionaries:** operations and methods, comprehension;

Lists, Tuples, Dictionaries:**List:**

- It is a general purpose most widely used in data structures
- List is a collection which is ordered and changeable and allows duplicate members. (Grow and shrink as needed, sequence type, sortable).
- To use a list, you must declare it first. Do this using square brackets and separate values with commas.
- We can construct / create list in many ways.

Ex:

```
>>> list1=[1,2,3,'A','B',7,8,[10,11]]
```

```
>>> print(list1)
```

```
[1, 2, 3, 'A', 'B', 7, 8, [10, 11]]
```

```
-----
```

```
>>> x=list()
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[]
```

```
-----
```

```
>>> tuple1=(1,2,3,4)
```

```
>>> x=list(tuple1)
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 3, 4]
```

List operations:

These operations include indexing, slicing, adding, multiplying, and checking for membership

Basic List Operations:

Lists respond to the + and * operators much like strings; they mean concatenation and repetition here too, except that the result is a new list, not a string.

Python Expression	Results	Description
len([1, 2, 3])	3	Length
[1, 2, 3] + [4, 5, 6]	[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6]	Concatenation
['Hi!'] * 4	['Hi!', 'Hi!', 'Hi!', 'Hi!']	Repetition
3 in [1, 2, 3]	True	Membership
for x in [1, 2, 3]: print x,	1 2 3	Iteration

Indexing, Slicing, and Matrixes

Because lists are sequences, indexing and slicing work the same way for lists as they do for strings.

Assuming following input –

L = ['mrcet', 'college', 'MRCET!']

Python Expression	Results	Description
L[2]	MRCET	Offsets start at zero

L[-2]	college	Negative: count from the right
L[1:]	['college', 'MRCET!']	Slicing fetches sections

List slices:

```
>>> list1=range(1,6)
>>> list1
range(1, 6)
>>> print(list1)
range(1, 6)
>>> list1=[1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10]
>>> list1[1:]
[2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]
>>> list1[:1]
[1]
>>> list1[2:5]
[3, 4, 5]
>>> list1[:6]
[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6]
>>> list1[1:2:4]
[2]
>>> list1[1:8:2]
[2, 4, 6, 8]
```

List methods:

The list data type has some more methods. Here are all of the methods of list objects:

- Del()

- Append()
- Extend()
- Insert()
- Pop()
- Remove()
- Reverse()
- Sort()

Delete: Delete a list or an item from a list

```
>>> x=[5,3,8,6]
>>> del(x[1])      #deletes the index position 1 in a list
>>> x
[5, 8, 6]
-----
>>> del(x)
>>> x              # complete list gets deleted
```

Append: Append an item to a list

```
>>> x=[1,5,8,4]
>>> x.append(10)
>>> x
[1, 5, 8, 4, 10]
```

Extend: Append a sequence to a list.

```
>>> x=[1,2,3,4]
>>> y=[3,6,9,1]
>>> x.extend(y)
>>> x
[1, 2, 3, 4, 3, 6, 9, 1]
```

Insert: To add an item at the specified index, use the insert () method:

```
>>> x=[1,2,4,6,7]
```

```
>>> x.insert(2,10) #insert(index no, item to be inserted)
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 10, 4, 6, 7]
```

```
-----
```

```
>>> x.insert(4,['a',11])
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 10, 4, ['a', 11], 6, 7]
```

Pop: The pop() method removes the specified index, (or the last item if index is not specified) or simply pops the last item of list and returns the item.

```
>>> x=[1, 2, 10, 4, 6, 7]
```

```
>>> x.pop()
```

```
7
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 10, 4, 6]
```

```
-----
```

```
>>> x=[1, 2, 10, 4, 6]
```

```
>>> x.pop(2)
```

```
10
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 4, 6]
```

Remove: The remove() method removes the specified item from a given list.

```
>>> x=[1,33,2,10,4,6]
```

```
>>> x.remove(33)
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 10, 4, 6]
```

```
>>> x.remove(4)
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 10, 6]
```

Reverse: Reverse the order of a given list.

```
>>> x=[1,2,3,4,5,6,7]
```

```
>>> x.reverse()
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1]
```

Sort: Sorts the elements in ascending order

```
>>> x=[7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1]
```

```
>>> x.sort()
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7]
```

```
-----
```

```
>>> x=[10,1,5,3,8,7]
```

```
>>> x.sort()
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 10]
```

List loop:

Loops are control structures used to repeat a given section of code a certain number of times or until a particular condition is met.

Method #1: For loop

#list of items

```
list = ['M','R','C','E','T']
```

```
i = 1
```

```
#Iterating over the list
for item in list:
    print ('college ',i,' is ',item)
    i = i+1
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/lis.py
```

```
college 1 is M
college 2 is R
college 3 is C
college 4 is E
college 5 is T
```

Method #2: For loop and range()

In case we want to use the traditional for loop which iterates from number x to number y.

Python3 code to iterate over a list

```
list = [1, 3, 5, 7, 9]
```

```
# getting length of list
length = len(list)
```

```
# Iterating the index
# same as 'for i in range(len(list))'
for i in range(length):
    print(list[i])
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/listloop.py
```

```
1
3
5
7
9
```

Method #3: using while loop

Python3 code to iterate over a list

```
list = [1, 3, 5, 7, 9]
```

```
# Getting length of list
```

```
length = len(list)
i = 0
```

```
# Iterating using while loop
while i < length:
    print(list[i])
    i += 1
```

Mutability:

A mutable object can be changed after it is created, and an immutable object can't.

Append: Append an item to a list

```
>>> x=[1,5,8,4]
>>> x.append(10)
>>> x
[1, 5, 8, 4, 10]
```

Extend: Append a sequence to a list.

```
>>> x=[1,2,3,4]
>>> y=[3,6,9,1]
>>> x.extend(y)
>>> x
```

Delete: Delete a list or an item from a list

```
>>> x=[5,3,8,6]
>>> del(x[1])      #deletes the index position 1 in a list
>>> x
[5, 8, 6]
```

Insert: To add an item at the specified index, use the insert () method:

```
>>> x=[1,2,4,6,7]
>>> x.insert(2,10) #insert(index no, item to be inserted)
```



```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 10, 4, 6, 7]
```

```
-----
```

```
>>> x.insert(4,['a',11])
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 10, 4, ['a', 11], 6, 7]
```

Pop: The pop() method removes the specified index, (or the last item if index is not specified) or simply pops the last item of list and returns the item.

```
>>> x=[1, 2, 10, 4, 6, 7]
```

```
>>> x.pop()
```

```
7
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 10, 4, 6]
```

```
-----
```

```
>>> x=[1, 2, 10, 4, 6]
```

```
>>> x.pop(2)
```

```
10
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 4, 6]
```

Remove: The remove() method removes the specified item from a given list.

```
>>> x=[1,33,2,10,4,6]
```

```
>>> x.remove(33)
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 10, 4, 6]
```

```
>>> x.remove(4)
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 10, 6]
```

Reverse: Reverse the order of a given list.

```
>>> x=[1,2,3,4,5,6,7]
```

```
>>> x.reverse()
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1]
```

Sort: Sorts the elements in ascending order

```
>>> x=[7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1]
```

```
>>> x.sort()
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7]
```

```
-----
```

```
>>> x=[10,1,5,3,8,7]
```

```
>>> x.sort()
```

```
>>> x
```

```
[1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 10]
```

Aliasing:

1. An alias is a second name for a piece of data, often easier (and more useful) than making a copy.
2. If the data is immutable, aliases don't matter because the data can't change.
3. But if data can change, aliases can result in lot of hard – to – find bugs.
4. Aliasing happens whenever one variable's value is assigned to another variable.

For ex:

```
a = [81, 82, 83]
```

```
b = [81, 82, 83]
print(a == b)
print(a is b)
b = a
print(a == b)
print(a is b)
b[0] = 5
print(a)
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/alia.py
True
False
True
True
[5, 82, 83]
```

Because the same list has two different names, a and b, we say that it is **aliased**. Changes made with one alias affect the other. In the example above, you can see that a and b refer to the same list after executing the assignment statement b = a.

Cloning Lists:

If we want to modify a list and also keep a copy of the original, we need to be able to make a copy of the list itself, not just the reference. This process is sometimes called cloning, to avoid the ambiguity of the word copy.

The easiest way to clone a list is to use the slice operator. Taking any slice of a creates a new list. In this case the slice happens to consist of the whole list.

Example:

```
a = [81, 82, 83]

b = a[:]    # make a clone using slice

print(a == b)

print(a is b)

b[0] = 5

print(a)

print(b)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/clo.py

True

False

[81, 82, 83]

[5, 82, 83]

Now we are free to make changes to b without worrying about a

List parameters:

Passing a list as an argument actually passes a reference to the list, not a copy of the list. Since lists are mutable, changes made to the elements referenced by the parameter change the same list that the argument is referencing.

for example, the function below takes a list as an argument and multiplies each element in the list by 2:

```
def doubleStuff(List):
```

```
    """ Overwrite each element in aList with double its value. """
```

```
    for position in range(len(List)):
```

```
        List[position] = 2 * List[position]
```

```
things = [2, 5, 9]
```

```
print(things)
```

```
doubleStuff(things)
```

```
print(things)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/lipar.py ==

[2, 5, 9]

[4, 10, 18]

List comprehension:**List:**

List comprehensions provide a concise way to create lists. Common applications are to make new lists where each element is the result of some operations applied to each member of another sequence or iterable, or to create a subsequence of those elements that satisfy a certain condition.

For example, assume we want to create a list of squares, like:

```
>>> list1=[]  
  
>>> for x in range(10):  
    list1.append(x**2)  
  
>>> list1  
[0, 1, 4, 9, 16, 25, 36, 49, 64, 81]  
  
(or)
```

This is also equivalent to

```
>>> list1=list(map(lambda x:x**2, range(10)))  
  
>>> list1  
[0, 1, 4, 9, 16, 25, 36, 49, 64, 81]  
  
(or)
```

Which is more concise and readable.

```
>>> list1=[x**2 for x in range(10)]  
  
>>> list1  
[0, 1, 4, 9, 16, 25, 36, 49, 64, 81]
```

Similarly some examples:

```
>>> x=[m for m in range(8)]
```

```
>>> print(x)
```

```
[0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7]
```

```
>>> x=[z**2 for z in range(10) if z>4]
```

```
>>> print(x)
```

```
[25, 36, 49, 64, 81]
```

```
>>> x=[x ** 2 for x in range (1, 11) if x % 2 == 1]
```

```
>>> print(x)
```

```
[1, 9, 25, 49, 81]
```

```
>>> a=5
```

```
>>> table = [[a, b, a * b] for b in range(1, 11)]
```

```
>>> for i in table:
```

```
    print(i)
```

```
[5, 1, 5]
```

```
[5, 2, 10]
```

```
[5, 3, 15]
```

```
[5, 4, 20]
```

```
[5, 5, 25]
```

```
[5, 6, 30]
```

```
[5, 7, 35]
```

```
[5, 8, 40]
```

```
[5, 9, 45]
```

```
[5, 10, 50]
```

Tuples:

A tuple is a collection which is ordered and unchangeable. In Python tuples are written with round brackets.

- Supports all operations for sequences.
- Immutable, but member objects may be mutable.
- If the contents of a list shouldn't change, use a tuple to prevent items from

accidentally being added, changed, or deleted.

- Tuples are more efficient than list due to python's implementation.

We can construct tuple in many ways:

```
X=() #no item tuple
```

```
X=(1,2,3)
```

```
X=tuple(list1)
```

```
X=1,2,3,4
```

Example:

```
>>> x=(1,2,3)
```

```
>>> print(x)
```

```
(1, 2, 3)
```

```
>>> x
```

```
(1, 2, 3)
```

```
-----
```

```
>>> x=()
```

```
>>> x
```

```
()
```

```
-----
```

```
>>> x=[4,5,66,9]
```

```
>>> y=tuple(x)
```

```
>>> y
```

```
(4, 5, 66, 9)
```

```
-----
```

```
>>> x=1,2,3,4
```

```
>>> x
```

```
(1, 2, 3, 4)
```

Some of the operations of tuple are:

- Access tuple items
- Change tuple items
- Loop through a tuple
- Count()
- Index()
- Length()

Access tuple items: Access tuple items by referring to the index number, inside square brackets

```
>>> x=('a','b','c','g')
```

```
>>> print(x[2])
```

c

Change tuple items: Once a tuple is created, you cannot change its values. Tuples are unchangeable.

```
>>> x=(2,5,7,'4',8)
```

```
>>> x[1]=10
```

Traceback (most recent call last):

File "<pyshell#41>", line 1, in <module>

x[1]=10

TypeError: 'tuple' object does not support item assignment

```
>>> x
```

```
(2, 5, 7, '4', 8) # the value is still the same
```

Loop through a tuple: We can loop the values of tuple using for loop

```
>>> x=4,5,6,7,2,'aa'
```

```
>>> for i in x:
```

```
    print(i)
```

4

5

6

7

2

aa

Count (): Returns the number of times a specified value occurs in a tuple

```
>>> x=(1,2,3,4,5,6,2,10,2,11,12,2)
```

```
>>> x.count(2)
```

4

Index (): Searches the tuple for a specified value and returns the position of where it was found


```
>>> x=(1,2,3,4,5,6,2,10,2,11,12,2)
>>> x.index(2)
1
```

(Or)

```
>>> x=(1,2,3,4,5,6,2,10,2,11,12,2)
>>> y=x.index(2)
>>> print(y)
1
```

Length (): To know the number of items or values present in a tuple, we use len().

```
>>> x=(1,2,3,4,5,6,2,10,2,11,12,2)
>>> y=len(x)
>>> print(y)
12
```

Tuple Assignment

Python has tuple assignment feature which enables you to assign more than one variable at a time. In here, we have assigned tuple 1 with the college information like college name, year, etc. and another tuple 2 with the values in it like number (1, 2, 3... 7).

For Example,

Here is the code,

- >>> tup1 = ('mrcet', 'eng college','2004','cse', 'it','csit');
- >>> tup2 = (1,2,3,4,5,6,7);
- >>> print(tup1[0])
- mrcet
- >>> print(tup2[1:4])
- (2, 3, 4)

Tuple 1 includes list of information of mrcet

Tuple 2 includes list of numbers in it

We call the value for [0] in tuple and for tuple 2 we call the value between 1 and 4

Run the above code- It gives name mrcet for first tuple while for second tuple it gives number (2, 3, 4)

Tuple as return values:

A Tuple is a comma separated sequence of items. It is created with or without (). Tuples are immutable.

A Python program to return multiple values from a method using tuple

This function returns a tuple

```
def fun():
```

```
    str = "mrcet college"
```

```
    x = 20
```

```
    return str, x; # Return tuple, we could also
```

```
        # write (str, x)
```

```
# Driver code to test above method
```

```
str, x = fun() # Assign returned tuple
```

```
print(str)
```

```
print(x)
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/tupretval.py
```

```
mrcet college
```

```
20
```

- Functions can return tuples as return values.

```
def circleInfo(r):
```

```
    """ Return (circumference, area) of a circle of radius r """
```

```
    c = 2 * 3.14159 * r
```

```
    a = 3.14159 * r * r
```

```
    return (c, a)
```

```
print(circleInfo(10))
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/functupretval.py
```

```
(62.8318, 314.159)
```

```
-----  
def f(x):  
    y0 = x + 1  
    y1 = x * 3  
    y2 = y0 ** y3  
    return (y0, y1, y2)
```

Tuple comprehension:

Tuple Comprehensions are special: The result of a tuple comprehension is special. You might expect it to produce a tuple, but what it does is produce a special "generator" object that we can iterate over.

For example:

```
>>> x = (i for i in 'abc') #tuple comprehension  
>>> x  
<generator object <genexpr> at 0x033EEC30>  
  
>>> print(x)  
<generator object <genexpr> at 0x033EEC30>
```

You might expect this to print as ('a', 'b', 'c') but it prints as <generator object <genexpr> at 0x02AAD710> The result of a tuple comprehension is not a tuple: it is actually a generator. The only thing that you need to know now about a generator now is that you can iterate over it, but ONLY ONCE.

So, given the code

```
>>> x = (i for i in 'abc')  
>>> for i in x:  
    print(i)
```

```
a  
b  
c
```

Create a list of 2-tuples like (number, square):

```
>>> z=[(x, x**2) for x in range(6)]  
>>> z  
[(0, 0), (1, 1), (2, 4), (3, 9), (4, 16), (5, 25)]
```

Set:

Similarly to list comprehensions, set comprehensions are also supported:

```
>>> a = {x for x in 'abracadabra' if x not in 'abc'}
>>> a
{'r', 'd'}
```

```
>>> x={3*x for x in range(10) if x>5}
>>> x
{24, 18, 27, 21}
```

Dictionaries:

A dictionary is a collection which is unordered, changeable and indexed. In Python dictionaries are written with curly brackets, and they have keys and values.

- Key-value pairs
- Unordered

We can construct or create dictionary like:

```
X={1:'A',2:'B',3:'c'}
```

```
X=dict([('a',3) ('b',4)])
```

```
X=dict('A'=1,'B' =2)
```

Example:

```
>>> dict1 = {"brand": "mrcet", "model": "college", "year": 2004}
```

```
>>> dict1
```

```
{'brand': 'mrcet', 'model': 'college', 'year': 2004}
```

Operations and methods:

Methods that are available with dictionary are tabulated below. Some of them have already been used in the above examples.

Method	Description
clear()	Remove all items form the dictionary.

<code>copy()</code>	Return a shallow copy of the dictionary.
<code>fromkeys(seq[, v])</code>	Return a new dictionary with keys from seq and value equal to v (defaults to None).
<code>get(key[,d])</code>	Return the value of key. If key doesnot exit, return d (defaults to None).
<code>items()</code>	Return a new view of the dictionary's items (key, value).
<code>keys()</code>	Return a new view of the dictionary's keys.
<code>pop(key[,d])</code>	Remove the item with key and return its value or d if key is not found. If d is not provided and key is not found, raises <code>KeyError</code> .
<code>popitem()</code>	Remove and return an arbitrary item (key, value). Raises <code>KeyError</code> if the dictionary is empty.
<code>setdefault(key[,d])</code>	If key is in the dictionary, return its value. If not, insert key with a value of d and return d (defaults to None).
<code>update([other])</code>	Update the dictionary with the key/value pairs from other, overwriting existing keys.
<code>values()</code>	Return a new view of the dictionary's values

Below are some dictionary operations:

To access specific value of a dictionary, we must pass its key,

```
>>> dict1 = {"brand": "mrcet", "model": "college", "year": 2004}
>>> x = dict1["brand"]
>>> x
'mrcet'
```

To access keys and values and items of dictionary:

```
>>> dict1 = {"brand": "mrcet", "model": "college", "year": 2004}
>>> dict1.keys()
dict_keys(['brand', 'model', 'year'])
>>> dict1.values()
dict_values(['mrcet', 'college', 2004])
>>> dict1.items()
dict_items([('brand', 'mrcet'), ('model', 'college'), ('year', 2004)])
```

>>> for items in dict1.values():
 print(items)

```
mrcet
college
2004
```

```
>>> for items in dict1.keys():
    print(items)
```

```
brand
model
year
```

```
>>> for i in dict1.items():
    print(i)
```

```
('brand', 'mrcet')
('model', 'college')
('year', 2004)
```

Some more operations like:

- Add/change

- Remove
- Length
- Delete

Add/change values: You can change the value of a specific item by referring to its key name

```
>>> dict1 = {"brand":"mrcet","model":"college","year":2004}
>>> dict1["year"]=2005
>>> dict1
{'brand': 'mrcet', 'model': 'college', 'year': 2005}
```

Remove(): It removes or pop the specific item of dictionary.

```
>>> dict1 = {"brand":"mrcet","model":"college","year":2004}
>>> print(dict1.pop("model"))
college
>>> dict1
{'brand': 'mrcet', 'year': 2005}
```

Delete: Deletes a particular item.

```
>>> x = {1:1, 2:4, 3:9, 4:16, 5:25}
>>> del x[5]
>>> x
```

Length: we use len() method to get the length of dictionary.

```
>>>{1: 1, 2: 4, 3: 9, 4: 16}
{1: 1, 2: 4, 3: 9, 4: 16}
>>> y=len(x)
>>> y
4
```

Iterating over (key, value) pairs:

```
>>> x = {1:1, 2:4, 3:9, 4:16, 5:25}
>>> for key in x:
    print(key, x[key])
```

```
1 1
2 4
3 9
```

```
4 16
5 25
>>> for k,v in x.items():
    print(k,v)
```

```
1 1
2 4
3 9
4 16
5 25
```

List of Dictionaries:

```
>>> customers = [{"uid":1,"name":"John"},
    {"uid":2,"name":"Smith"},
    {"uid":3,"name":"Andersson"},
    ]
>>> >>> print(customers)
[{'uid': 1, 'name': 'John'}, {'uid': 2, 'name': 'Smith'}, {'uid': 3, 'name': 'Andersson'}]
```

Print the uid and name of each customer

```
>>> for x in customers:
    print(x["uid"], x["name"])
```

```
1 John
2 Smith
3 Andersson
```

Modify an entry, This will change the name of customer 2 from Smith to Charlie

```
>>> customers[2]["name"]="charlie"
>>> print(customers)
[{'uid': 1, 'name': 'John'}, {'uid': 2, 'name': 'Smith'}, {'uid': 3, 'name': 'charlie'}]
```

Add a new field to each entry

```
>>> for x in customers:
    x["password"]="123456" # any initial value
```

```
>>> print(customers)
```



```
[{'uid': 1, 'name': 'John', 'password': '123456'}, {'uid': 2, 'name': 'Smith', 'password': '123456'}, {'uid': 3, 'name': 'charlie', 'password': '123456'}]
```

Delete a field

```
>>> del customers[1]
```

```
>>> print(customers)
```

```
[{'uid': 1, 'name': 'John', 'password': '123456'}, {'uid': 3, 'name': 'charlie', 'password': '123456'}]
```

```
>>> del customers[1]
```

```
>>> print(customers)
```

```
[{'uid': 1, 'name': 'John', 'password': '123456'}]
```

Delete all fields

```
>>> for x in customers:
```

```
    del x["uid"]
```

```
>>> x
```

```
{'name': 'John', 'password': '123456'}
```

Comprehension:

Dictionary comprehensions can be used to create dictionaries from arbitrary key and value expressions:

```
>>> z={x: x**2 for x in (2,4,6)}
```

```
>>> z
```

```
{2: 4, 4: 16, 6: 36}
```

```
>>> dict11 = {x: x*x for x in range(6)}
```

```
>>> dict11
```

```
{0: 0, 1: 1, 2: 4, 3: 9, 4: 16, 5: 25}
```

UNIT – V**FILES, EXCEPTIONS, MODULES, PACKAGES**

Files and exception: text files, reading and writing files, command line arguments, errors and exceptions, handling exceptions, modules (datetime, time, OS , calendar, math module), Explore packages.

Files, Exceptions, Modules, Packages:**Files and exception:**

A **file** is some information or data which stays in the computer storage devices. Python gives you easy ways to manipulate these files. Generally files divide in two categories, text file and binary file. Text files are simple text where as the binary files contain binary data which is only readable by computer.

- **Text files:** In this type of file, Each line of text is terminated with a special character called EOL (End of Line), which is the new line character ('\n') in python by default.
- **Binary files:** In this type of file, there is no terminator for a line and the data is stored after converting it into machine understandable binary language.

An **exception** is an event, which occurs during the execution of a program that disrupts the normal flow of the program's instructions. In general, when a Python script encounters a situation that it cannot cope with, it raises an exception. An exception is a Python object that represents an error.

Text files:

We can create the text files by using the syntax:

Variable name=open (“file.txt”, file mode)

For ex: f= open ("hello.txt","w+")

- We declared the variable f to open a file named hello.txt. **Open** takes 2 arguments, the file that we want to open and a string that represents the kinds of permission or operation we want to do on the file
- Here we used "w" letter in our argument, which indicates write and the plus sign that means it will create a file if it does not exist in library

- The available option beside "w" are "r" for read and "a" for append and plus sign means if it is not there then create it

File Modes in Python:

Mode	Description
'r'	This is the default mode. It Opens file for reading.
'w'	This Mode Opens file for writing. If file does not exist, it creates a new file. If file exists it truncates the file.
'x'	Creates a new file. If file already exists, the operation fails.
'a'	Open file in append mode. If file does not exist, it creates a new file.
't'	This is the default mode. It opens in text mode.
'b'	This opens in binary mode.
'+'	This will open a file for reading and writing (updating)

Reading and Writing files:

The following image shows how to create and open a text file in notepad from command prompt

```
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.14393]
(c) 2016 Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

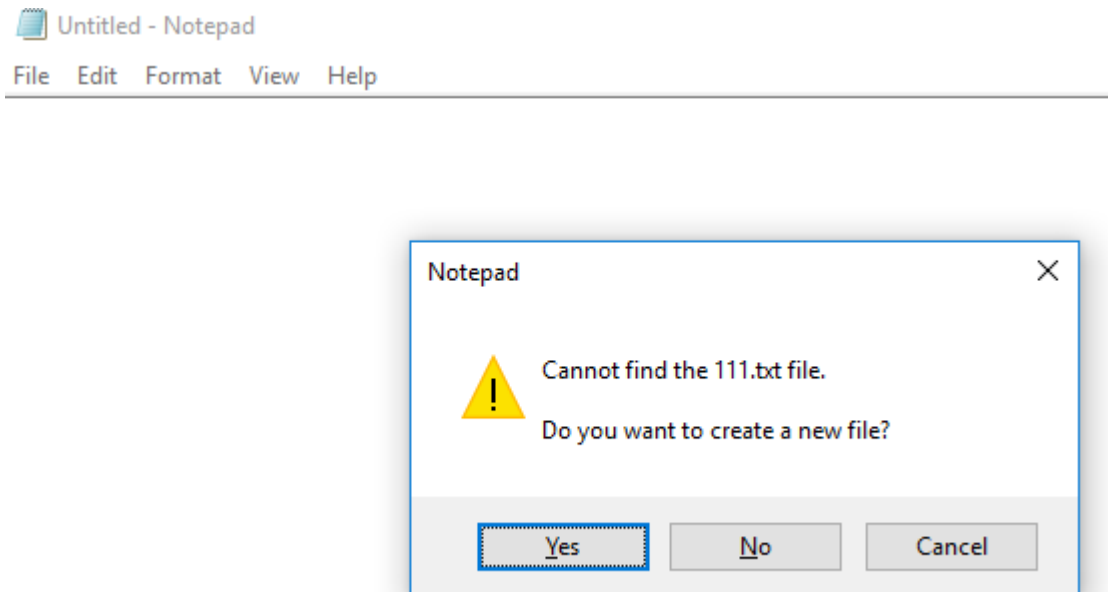
C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\filess>start notepad hello.txt

C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\filess>type hello.txt
Hello mrcet
good morning
how r u
C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\filess>
```

(or)

```
C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\filess>notepad 111.txt
```

Hit on enter then it shows the following whether to open or not?



Click on “yes” to open else “no” to cancel

Write a python program to open and read a file

```
a=open(“one.txt”,”r”)
```

```
print(a.read())
```

```
a.close()
```

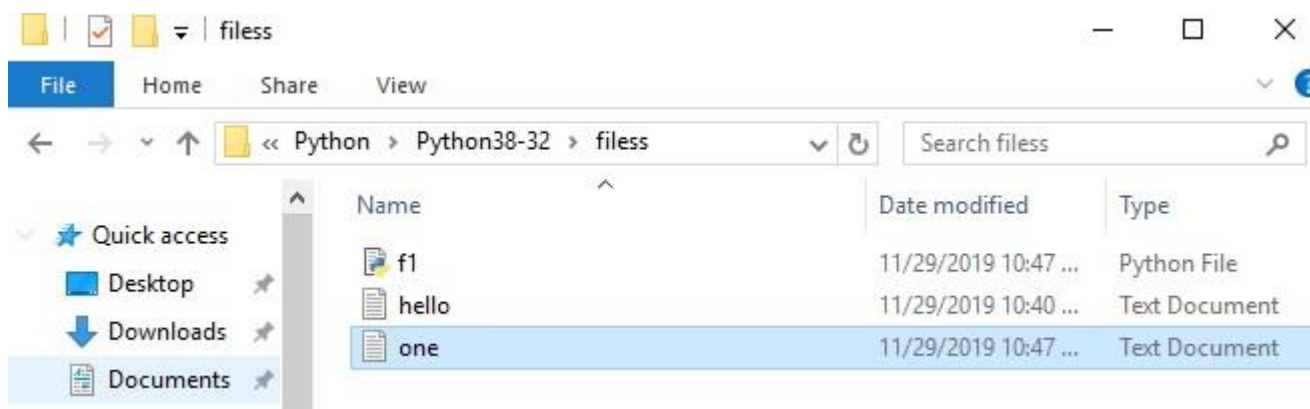
Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/filess/f1.py  
welcome to python programming
```

(or)

```
C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\filess>python f1.py  
welcome to python programming
```

Note: All the program files and text files need to be saved together in a particular file then only the program performs the operations in the given file mode



f.close() ---- This will close the instance of the file somefile.txt stored

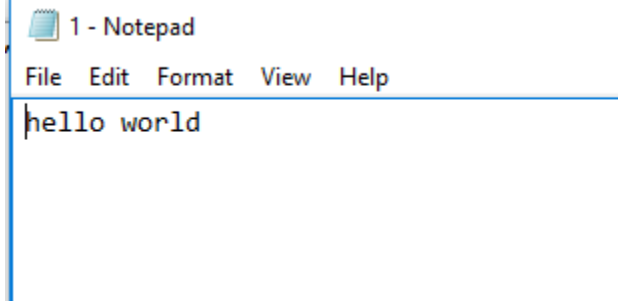
Write a python program to open and write “hello world” into a file?

```
f=open("1.txt","a")
```

```
f.write("hello world")
```

```
f.close()
```

Output:



(or)

```
C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\filess>type 1.txt  
hello world
```

Note: In the above program the 1.txt file is created automatically and adds hello world into txt file

If we keep on executing the same program for more than one time then it append the data that many times

```
C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\filess>type 1.txt  
hello worldhello world
```

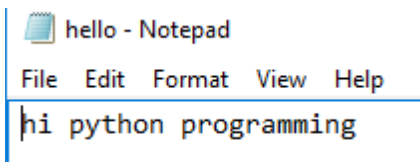
Write a python program to write the content “hi python programming” for the existing file.

```
f=open("1.txt",'w')
```

```
f.write("hi python programming")
```

```
f.close()
```

Output:



In the above program the hello.txt file consist of data like

```
C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\filess>type hello.txt  
Hello mrcet  
good morning  
how r u
```

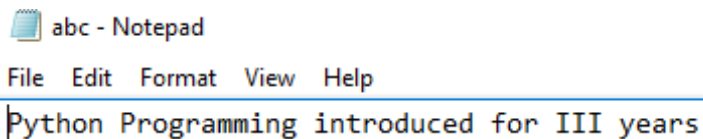
But when we try to write some data on to the same file it overwrites and saves with the current data (check output)

```
C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\filess>type hello.txt
hi python programming
```

Write a python program to open and write the content to file and read it.

```
fo=open("abc.txt","w+")
fo.write("Python Programming")
print(fo.read())
fo.close()
```

Output:



abc - Notepad

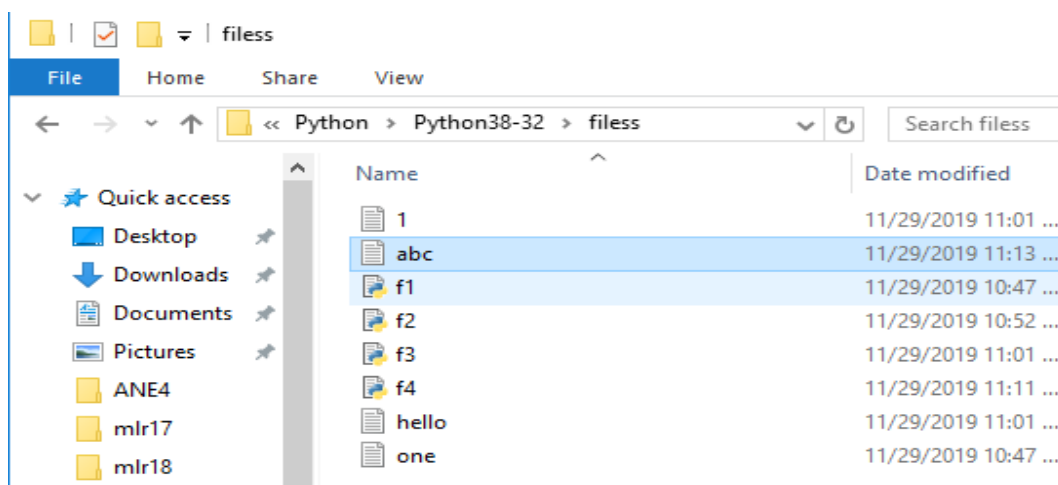
File Edit Format View Help

Python Programming introduced for III years

(or)

```
C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\filess>type abc.txt
Python Programming introduced for III years
```

Note: It creates the abc.txt file automatically and writes the data into it



Command line arguments:

The command line arguments must be given whenever we want to give the input before the start of the script, while on the other hand, `raw_input()` is used to get the input while the python program / script is running.

The command line arguments in python can be processed by using either 'sys' module, 'argparse' module and 'getopt' module.

'sys' module :

Python sys module stores the command line arguments into a list, we can access it using `sys.argv`. This is very useful and simple way to read command line arguments as String.

sys.argv is the list of commandline arguments passed to the Python program. `argv` represents all the items that come along via the command line input, it's basically an array holding the command line arguments of our program

```
>>> sys.modules.keys() -- this prints so many dict elements in the form of list.
```

Python code to demonstrate the use of 'sys' module for command line arguments

```
import sys
```

```
# command line arguments are stored in the form
```

```
# of list in sys.argv
```

```
argumentList = sys.argv
```

```
print(argumentList)
```

```
# Print the name of file
```

```
print(sys.argv[0])
```

```
# Print the first argument after the name of file
```

```
#print(sys.argv[1])
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/cmdnlinarg.py
```

```
['C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/cmdnlinarg.py']
```

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/cmdnlinarg.py
```


Note: Since my list consist of only one element at '0' index so it prints only that list element, if we try to access at index position '1' then it shows the error like,

IndexError: list index out of range

```
import sys
```

```
print(type(sys.argv))
```

```
print("The command line arguments are:")
```

```
for i in sys.argv:
```

```
    print(i)
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/symod.py ==
```

```
<class 'list'>
```

```
The command line arguments are:
```

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/symod.py
```

write a python program to get python version.

```
import sys
```

```
print("System version is:")
```

```
print(sys.version)
```

```
print("Version Information is:")
```

```
print(sys.version_info)
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/s1.py =
```

```
System version is:
```

```
3.8.0 (tags/v3.8.0:fa919fd, Oct 14 2019, 19:21:23) [MSC v.1916 32 bit (Intel)]
```

```
Version Information is:
```

```
sys.version_info(major=3, minor=8, micro=0, releaselevel='final', serial=0)
```

‘argparse’ module :

Python getopt module is very similar in working as the C getopt() function for parsing command-line parameters. Python getopt module is useful in parsing command line arguments where we want user to enter some options too.

```
>>> parser = argparse.ArgumentParser(description='Process some integers.')
```

```
# _____
```

```
import argparse
```

```
parser = argparse.ArgumentParser()  
print(parser.parse_args())
```

‘getopt’ module :

Python argparse module is the preferred way to parse command line arguments. It provides a lot of option such as positional arguments, default value for arguments, help message, specifying data type of argument etc

It parses the command line options and parameter list. The signature of this function is mentioned below:

```
getopt.getopt(args, shortopts, longopts=[ ])
```

- args are the arguments to be passed.
- shortopts is the options this script accepts.
- Optional parameter, longopts is the list of String parameters this function accepts which should be supported. Note that the -- should not be prepended with option names.

```
-h ----- print help and usage message  
-m----- accept custom option value  
-d ----- run the script in debug mode
```

```
import getopt  
import sys
```

```
argv = sys.argv[0:]  
try:  
    opts, args = getopt.getopt(argv, 'hm:d', ['help', 'my_file='])  
    #print(opts)  
    print(args)  
except getopt.GetoptError:  
    # Print a message or do something useful  
    print('Something went wrong!')  
    sys.exit(2)
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/gtopt.py ==
```

```
['C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/gtopt.py']
```

Errors and Exceptions:

Python Errors and Built-in Exceptions: Python (interpreter) raises exceptions when it encounters **errors**. When writing a program, we, more often than not, will encounter errors. Error caused by not following the proper structure (syntax) of the language is called syntax error or parsing error

ZeroDivisionError:

ZeroDivisionError in Python indicates that the second argument used in a division (or modulo) operation was zero.

OverflowError:

OverflowError in Python indicates that an arithmetic operation has exceeded the limits of the current Python runtime. This is typically due to excessively large float values, as integer values that are too big will opt to raise memory errors instead.

ImportError:

It is raised when you try to import a module which does not exist. This may happen if you made a typing mistake in the module name or the module doesn't exist in its standard path. In the example below, a module named "non_existing_module" is being imported but it doesn't exist, hence an import error exception is raised.

IndexError:

An IndexError exception is raised when you refer a sequence which is out of range. In the example below, the list abc contains only 3 entries, but the 4th index is being accessed, which will result an IndexError exception.

TypeError:

When two unrelated type of objects are combined, TypeErrorexception is raised. In example below, an int and a string is added, which will result in TypeError exception.

IndentationError:

Unexpected indent. As mentioned in the "expected an indentedblock" section, Python not only insists on indentation, it insists on consistent indentation. You are free to choose the number of spaces of indentation to use, but you then need to stick with it.

Syntax errors:

These are the most basic type of error. They arise when the Python parser is unable to understand a line of code. Syntax errors are almost always fatal, i.e. there is almost never a way to successfully execute a piece of code containing syntax errors.

Run-time error:

A run-time error happens when Python understands what you are saying, but runs into trouble when following your instructions.

Key Error :

Python raises a `KeyError` whenever a `dict()` object is requested (using the format `a = adict[key]`) and the key is not in the dictionary.

Value Error:

In Python, a value is the information that is stored within a certain object. To encounter a `ValueError` in Python means that is a problem with the content of the object you tried to assign the value to.

Python has many built-in exceptions which forces your program to output an error when something in it goes wrong. In Python, users can define such exceptions by creating a new class. This exception class has to be derived, either directly or indirectly, from `Exception` class.

Different types of exceptions:

- `ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException`.
- `ClassNotFoundException`.
- `FileNotFoundException`.
- `IOException`.
- `InterruptedException`.
- `NoSuchFieldException`.
- `NoSuchMethodException`

Handling Exceptions:

The cause of an exception is often external to the program itself. For example, an incorrect input, a malfunctioning IO device etc. Because the program abruptly terminates on encountering an exception, it may cause damage to system resources, such as files. Hence, the exceptions should be properly handled so that an abrupt termination of the program is prevented.

Python uses try and except keywords to handle exceptions. Both keywords are followed by indented blocks.

Syntax:

try :

 #statements in try block

except :

 #executed when error in try block

Typically we see, most of the times

- **Syntactical errors** (wrong spelling, colon (:) missing),
At developer level and compile level it gives errors.
- **Logical errors** (2+2=4, instead if we get output as 3 i.e., wrong output),
As a developer we test the application, during that time logical error may obtained.
- **Run time error** (In this case, if the user doesn't know to give input, 5/6 is ok but if the user say 6 and 0 i.e., 6/0 (shows error a number cannot be divided by zero))
This is not easy compared to the above two errors because it is not done by the system, it is (mistake) done by the user.

The things we need to observe are:

1. You should be able to understand the mistakes; the error might be done by user, DB connection or server.
2. Whenever there is an error execution should not stop.
Ex: Banking Transaction
3. The aim is execution should not stop even though an error occurs.

For ex:

```
a=5
```

```
b=2
```

```
print(a/b)
```

```
print("Bye")
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex1.py
```

```
2.5
```

```
Bye
```

- The above is normal execution with no error, but if we say when $b=0$, it is a critical and gives error, see below

```
a=5
```

```
b=0
```

```
print(a/b)
```

```
print("bye") #this has to be printed, but abnormal termination
```

Output:

Traceback (most recent call last):

```
File "C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex2.py", line 3, in <module>
```

```
    print(a/b)
```

ZeroDivisionError: division by zero

- To overcome this we handle exceptions using except keyword

```
a=5
```

```
b=0
```

try:

```
print(a/b)
```

except Exception:

```
print("number can not be divided by zero")
```

```
print("bye")
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex3.py

number can not be divided by zero

bye

- The except block executes only when try block has an error, check it below

a=5

b=2

try:

```
print(a/b)
```

except Exception:

```
print("number can not be divided by zero")
```

```
print("bye")
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex4.py

2.5

- For example if you want to print the message like what is an error in a program then we use “e” which is the representation or object of an exception.

a=5

b=0

try:

```
print(a/b)

except Exception as e:

    print("number can not be divided by zero",e)

print("bye")
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex5.py

number can not be divided by zero **division by zero**
bye



(Type of error)

Let us see some more examples:

I don't want to print bye but I want to close the file whenever it is opened.

```
a=5
b=2
try:
    print("resource opened")
    print(a/b)
    print("resource closed")
```

```
except Exception as e:

    print("number can not be divided by zero",e)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex6.py

resource opened

2.5

resource closed

- **Note:** the file is opened and closed well, but see by changing the value of b to 0,

```
a=5
```

```
b=0
```

```
try:
```

```
    print("resource opened")
```

```
    print(a/b)
```

```
    print("resource closed")
```

```
except Exception as e:
```

```
    print("number can not be divided by zero",e)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex7.py

resource opened

number can not be divided by zero division by zero

- **Note:** resource not closed
- **To overcome this, keep print("resource closed") in except block, see it**

```
a=5
```

```
b=0
```

```
try:
```

```
    print("resource opened")
```

```
    print(a/b)
```

```
except Exception as e:
```

```
    print("number can not be divided by zero",e)
```

```
    print("resource closed")
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex8.py

resource opened

number can not be divided by zero division by zero

resource closed

- **The result is fine that the file is opened and closed, but again change the value of b to back (i.e., value 2 or other than zero)**

```
a=5
```

```
b=2
```

```
try:
```

```
    print("resource opened")
```

```
    print(a/b)
```

```
except Exception as e:
```

```
    print("number can not be divided by zero",e)
```

```
    print("resource closed")
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex9.py

resource opened

2.5

- **But again the same problem file/resource is not closed**
- **To overcome this python has a feature called **finally:****



This block gets executed though we get an error or not

Note: **Except** block executes, only when **try** block has an error, **but finally** block executes, even though you get an exception.

```
a=5
```

```
b=0
```

```
try:
```

```
print("resource open")
print(a/b)
k=int(input("enter a number"))
print(k)
except ZeroDivisionError as e:
    print("the value can not be divided by zero",e)
finally:
    print("resource closed")
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex10.py
resource open
the value can not be divided by zero division by zero
resource closed
```

- **change the value of b to 2 for above program, you see the output like**

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex10.py
resource open
2.5
enter a number 6
6
resource closed
```

- **Instead give input as some character or string for above program, check the output**

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex10.py
resource open
2.5
enter a number p
resource closed
```

Traceback (most recent call last):

File "C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex10.py", line 7, in <module>

```
k=int(input("enter a number"))
```

ValueError: invalid literal for int() with base 10: ' p'

```
# _____  
a=5  
b=0  
  
try:  
    print("resource open")  
    print(a/b)  
    k=int(input("enter a number"))  
    print(k)  
except ZeroDivisionError as e:  
    print("the value can not be divided by zero",e)  
except ValueError as e:  
    print("invalid input")  
except Exception as e:  
    print("something went wrong...",e)  
  
finally:  
    print("resource closed")
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex11.py

resource open

the value can not be divided by zero division by zero

resource closed

- **Change the value of b to 2 and give the input as some character or string (other than int)**

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/ex12.py

resource open

2.5

enter a number p

invalid input

resource closed

Modules (Date, Time, os, calendar, math):

- Modules refer to a file containing Python statements and definitions.

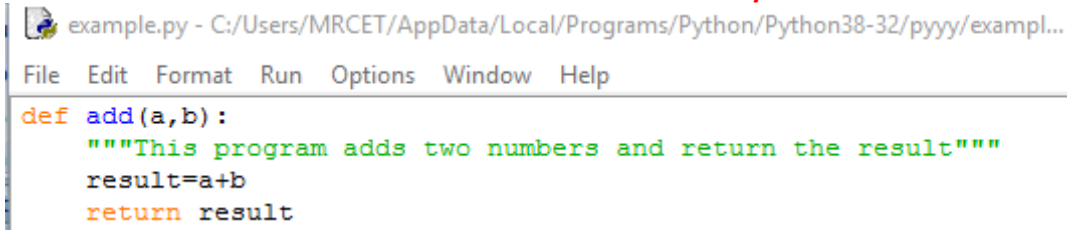
- We use modules to break down large programs into small manageable and organized files. Furthermore, modules provide reusability of code.
- We can define our most used functions in a module and import it, instead of copying their definitions into different programs.
- **Modular programming** refers to the process of breaking a large, unwieldy programming task into separate, smaller, more manageable subtasks or **modules**.

Advantages :

- **Simplicity:** Rather than focusing on the entire problem at hand, a module typically focuses on one relatively small portion of the problem. If you're working on a single module, you'll have a smaller problem domain to wrap your head around. This makes development easier and less error-prone.
- **Maintainability:** Modules are typically designed so that they enforce logical boundaries between different problem domains. If modules are written in a way that minimizes interdependency, there is decreased likelihood that modifications to a single module will have an impact on other parts of the program. This makes it more viable for a team of many programmers to work collaboratively on a large application.
- **Reusability:** Functionality defined in a single module can be easily reused (through an appropriately defined interface) by other parts of the application. This eliminates the need to recreate duplicate code.
- **Scoping:** Modules typically define a separate **namespace**, which helps avoid collisions between identifiers in different areas of a program.
- **Functions, modules and packages** are all constructs in Python that promote code modularization.

A file containing Python code, for e.g.: example.py, is called a module and its module name would be example.

```
>>> def add(a,b):  
    result=a+b  
    return result  
    """This program adds two numbers and return the result"""
```



```
example.py - C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/exempl...  
File Edit Format Run Options Window Help  
def add(a,b):  
    """This program adds two numbers and return the result"""  
    result=a+b  
    return result
```

Here, we have defined a function add() inside a module named example. The function takes in two numbers and returns their sum.

How to import the module is:

- We can import the definitions inside a module to another module or the Interactive interpreter in Python.
- We use the import keyword to do this. To import our previously defined module example we type the following in the Python prompt.
- Using the module name we can access the function using dot (.) operation. For Eg:

```
>>> import example
```

```
>>> example.add(5,5)
```

```
10
```

- Python has a ton of standard modules available. Standard modules can be imported the same way as we import our user-defined modules.

Reloading a module:

```
def hi(a,b):
```

```
    print(a+b)
```

```
hi(4,4)
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/add.py
```

```
8
```

```
>>> import add
```

```
8
```

```
>>> import add
```

```
>>> import add
```

```
>>>
```

Python provides a neat way of doing this. We can use the reload() function inside the imp module to reload a module. This is how its done.

- >>> import imp
- >>> import my_module
- This code got executed >>> import my_module >>> imp.reload(my_module) This code got executed <module 'my_module' from '.\\my_module.py'>how its done.

```
>>> import imp
```

```
>>> import add
```

```
>>> imp.reload(add)
```

```
8
```

```
<module 'add' from 'C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy\\add.py'>
```

The dir() built-in function

```
>>> import example
```

```
>>> dir(example)
```

```
['__builtins__', '__cached__', '__doc__', '__file__', '__loader__', '__name__', '__package__', '__spec__', 'add']
```

```
>>> dir()
```

```
['__annotations__', '__builtins__', '__doc__', '__file__', '__loader__', '__name__', '__package__', '__spec__', '__warningregistry__', 'add', 'example', 'hi', 'imp']
```

It shows all built-in and user-defined modules.

For ex:

```
>>> example.__name__
```

```
'example'
```

Datetime module:

Write a python program to display date, time

```
>>> import datetime
```

```
>>> a=datetime.datetime(2019,5,27,6,35,40)
```

```
>>> a
```

```
datetime.datetime(2019, 5, 27, 6, 35, 40)
```

write a python program to display date

```
import datetime
```

```
a=datetime.date(2000,9,18)
```

```
print(a)
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/d1.py =
```

```
2000-09-18
```

write a python program to display time

```
import datetime
```

```
a=datetime.time(5,3)
```

```
print(a)
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/d1.py =
```

```
05:03:00
```

#write a python program to print date, time for today and now.

```
import datetime
```



```
a=datetime.datetime.today()
b=datetime.datetime.now()
print(a)
print(b)
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/d1.py =
2019-11-29 12:49:52.235581
2019-11-29 12:49:52.235581
```

#write a python program to add some days to your present date and print the date added.

```
import datetime
a=datetime.date.today()
b=datetime.timedelta(days=7)
print(a+b)
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/d1.py =
2019-12-06
```

#write a python program to print the no. of days to write to reach your birthday

```
import datetime
a=datetime.date.today()
b=datetime.date(2020,5,27)
c=b-a
print(c)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/d1.py =

180 days, 0:00:00

#write an python program to print date, time using date and time functions

```
import datetime
```

```
t=datetime.datetime.today()
```

```
print(t.date())
```

```
print(t.time())
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/d1.py =

2019-11-29

12:53:39.226763

Time module:

#write a python program to display time.

```
import time
```

```
print(time.time())
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/t1.py =

1575012547.1584706

#write a python program to get structure of time stamp.

```
import time
```

```
print(time.localtime(time.time()))
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/t1.py =

```
time.struct_time(tm_year=2019, tm_mon=11, tm_mday=29, tm_hour=13, tm_min=1,
tm_sec=15, tm_wday=4, tm_yday=333, tm_isdst=0)
```

#write a python program to make a time stamp.

```
import time

a=(1999,5,27,7,20,15,1,27,0)

print(time.mktime(a))
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/t1.py =
927769815.0
```

#write a python program using sleep().

```
import time

time.sleep(6)  #prints after 6 seconds

print("Python Lab")
```

Output:

```
C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/t1.py =
Python Lab (#prints after 6 seconds)
```

os module:

```
>>> import os

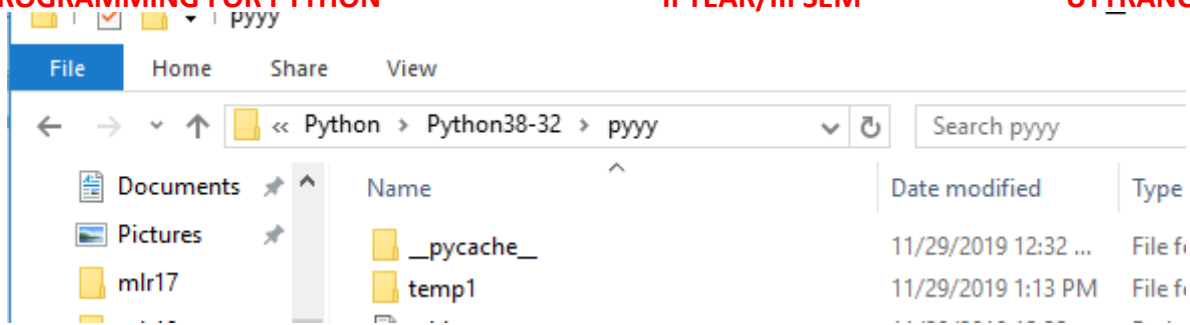
>>> os.name

'nt'

>>> os.getcwd()

'C:\\Users\\MRCET\\AppData\\Local\\Programs\\Python\\Python38-32\\pyyy'

>>> os.mkdir("temp1")
```



Note: temp1 dir is created

```
>>> os.getcwd()
```

```
'C:\\Users\\MRCET\\AppData\\Local\\Programs\\Python\\Python38-32\\pypy'
```

```
>>> open("t1.py","a")
```

```
<_io.TextIOWrapper name='t1.py' mode='a' encoding='cp1252'>
```

```
>>> os.access("t1.py",os.F_OK)
```

```
True
```

```
>>> os.access("t1.py",os.W_OK)
```

```
True
```

```
>>> os.rename("t1.py","t3.py")
```

```
>>> os.access("t1.py",os.F_OK)
```

```
False
```

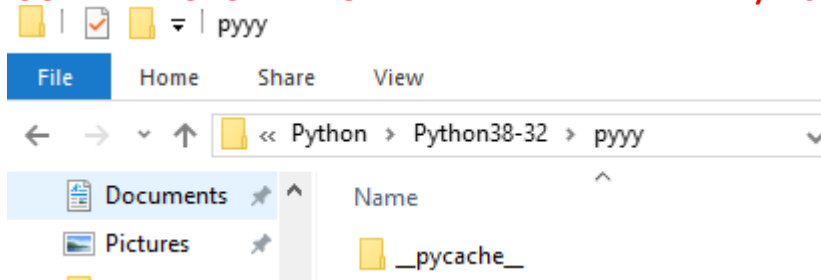
```
>>> os.access("t3.py",os.F_OK)
```

```
True
```

```
>>> os.rmdir('temp1')
```

(or)

```
os.rmdir('C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pypy/temp1')
```



Note: Temp1dir is removed

```
>>> os.remove("t3.py")
```

Note: We can check with the following cmd whether removed or not

```
>>> os.access("t3.py",os.F_OK)
```

False

```
>>> os.listdir()
```

```
['add.py', 'ali.py', 'alia.py', 'arr.py', 'arr2.py', 'arr3.py', 'arr4.py', 'arr5.py', 'arr6.py', 'br.py', 'br2.py', 'bubb.py', 'bubb2.py', 'bubb3.py', 'bubb4.py', 'bubbdesc.py', 'clo.py', 'cmdnlinarg.py', 'comm.py', 'con1.py', 'cont.py', 'cont2.py', 'd1.py', 'dic.py', 'e1.py', 'example.py', 'f1.y.py', 'flowof.py', 'fr.py', 'fr2.py', 'fr3.py', 'fu.py', 'fu1.py', 'if1.py', 'if2.py', 'ifelif.py', 'ifelse.py', 'iff.py', 'insertdesc.py', 'inserti.py', 'k1.py', 'l1.py', 'l2.py', 'link1.py', 'linklisttt.py', 'lis.py', 'listlooop.py', 'm1.py', 'merg.py', 'nesforr.py', 'nestedif.py', 'opprec.py', 'paraarg.py', 'qucksort.py', 'qukdsc.py', 'quu.py', 'r.py', 'rec.py', 'ret.py', 'rn.py', 's1.py', 'scoglo.py', 'selecasce.py', 'selectdecs.py', 'stk.py', 'strmodl.py', 'strr.py', 'strr1.py', 'strr2.py', 'strr3.py', 'strr4.py', 'strrmodl.py', 'wh.py', 'wh1.py', 'wh2.py', 'wh3.py', 'wh4.py', 'wh5.py', '__pycache__']
```

```
>>> os.listdir('C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32')
```

```
['argpar.py', 'br.py', 'bu.py', 'cmdnlinarg.py', 'DLLs', 'Doc', 'f1.py', 'f1.txt', 'filess', 'functupretval.py', 'funture.py', 'gtopt.py', 'include', 'Lib', 'libs', 'LICENSE.txt', 'lisparam.py', 'mysite', 'NEWS.txt', 'niru', 'python.exe', 'python3.dll', 'python38.dll', 'pythonw.exe', 'pyyy', 'Scripts', 'srp.py', 'sy.py', 'symod.py', 'tcl', 'the_weather', 'Tools', 'tupretval.py', 'vcruntime140.dll']
```

Calendar module:

#write a python program to display a particular month of a year using calendar module.

```
import calendar  
  
print(calendar.month(2020,1))
```

Output:

```
>>>  
= RESTART: C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/c11.py  
    January 2020  
Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su  
      1  2  3  4  5  
 6  7  8  9 10 11 12  
13 14 15 16 17 18 19  
20 21 22 23 24 25 26  
27 28 29 30 31  
,
```

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write a python program to check whether the given year is leap or not.

```
import calendar  
  
print(calendar.isleap(2021))
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/c11.py

False

#write a python program to print all the months of given year.

```
import calendar  
  
print(calendar.calendar(2020,1,1,1))
```

Output:

>>>

```
= RESTART: C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32,
2020
```

```

January          February          March
Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su
    1  2  3  4  5              1  2              1
  6  7  8  9 10 11 12    3  4  5  6  7  8  9    2  3  4  5  6  7  8
13 14 15 16 17 18 19   10 11 12 13 14 15 16    9 10 11 12 13 14 15
20 21 22 23 24 25 26   17 18 19 20 21 22 23   16 17 18 19 20 21 22
27 28 29 30 31        24 25 26 27 28 29        23 24 25 26 27 28 29
                                   30 31

April            May                June
Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su
    1  2  3  4  5              1  2  3    1  2  3  4  5  6  7
  6  7  8  9 10 11 12    4  5  6  7  8  9 10    8  9 10 11 12 13 14
13 14 15 16 17 18 19   11 12 13 14 15 16 17   15 16 17 18 19 20 21
20 21 22 23 24 25 26   18 19 20 21 22 23 24   22 23 24 25 26 27 28
27 28 29 30        25 26 27 28 29 30 31   29 30

July             August              September
Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su
    1  2  3  4  5              1  2              1  2  3  4  5  6
  6  7  8  9 10 11 12    3  4  5  6  7  8  9    7  8  9 10 11 12 13
13 14 15 16 17 18 19   10 11 12 13 14 15 16   14 15 16 17 18 19 20
20 21 22 23 24 25 26   17 18 19 20 21 22 23   21 22 23 24 25 26 27
27 28 29 30 31        24 25 26 27 28 29 30   28 29 30
                                   31

October          November           December
Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su
    1  2  3  4              1              1  2  3  4  5  6
  5  6  7  8  9 10 11    2  3  4  5  6  7  8    7  8  9 10 11 12 13
12 13 14 15 16 17 18    9 10 11 12 13 14 15   14 15 16 17 18 19 20
19 20 21 22 23 24 25   16 17 18 19 20 21 22   21 22 23 24 25 26 27
26 27 28 29 30 31     23 24 25 26 27 28 29   28 29 30 31
                                   30

```

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math module:

write a python program which accepts the radius of a circle from user and computes the area.

```
import math
```

```
r=int(input("Enter radius:"))
```

```
area=math.pi*r*r
```

```
print("Area of circle is:",area)
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/pyyy/m.py =

Enter radius:4

Area of circle is: 50.26548245743669

```
>>> import math
```

```
>>> print("The value of pi is", math.pi)
```

O/P: The value of pi is 3.141592653589793

Import with renaming:

- We can import a module by renaming it as follows.
- **For Eg:**

```
>>> import math as m
```

```
>>> print("The value of pi is", m.pi)
```

O/P: The value of pi is 3.141592653589793

- We have renamed the math module as m. This can save us typing time in some cases.
- Note that the name math is not recognized in our scope. Hence, math.pi is invalid, m.pi is the correct implementation.

Python from...import statement:

- We can import specific names from a module without importing the module as a whole. Here is an example.

```
>>> from math import pi
```

```
>>> print("The value of pi is", pi)
```

O/P: The value of pi is 3.141592653589793

- We imported only the attribute pi from the module.
- In such case we don't use the dot operator. We could have imported multiple attributes as follows.


```
>>> from math import pi, e
```

```
>>> pi
```

```
3.141592653589793
```

```
>>> e
```

```
2.718281828459045
```

Import all names:

- We can import all names(definitions) from a module using the following construct.

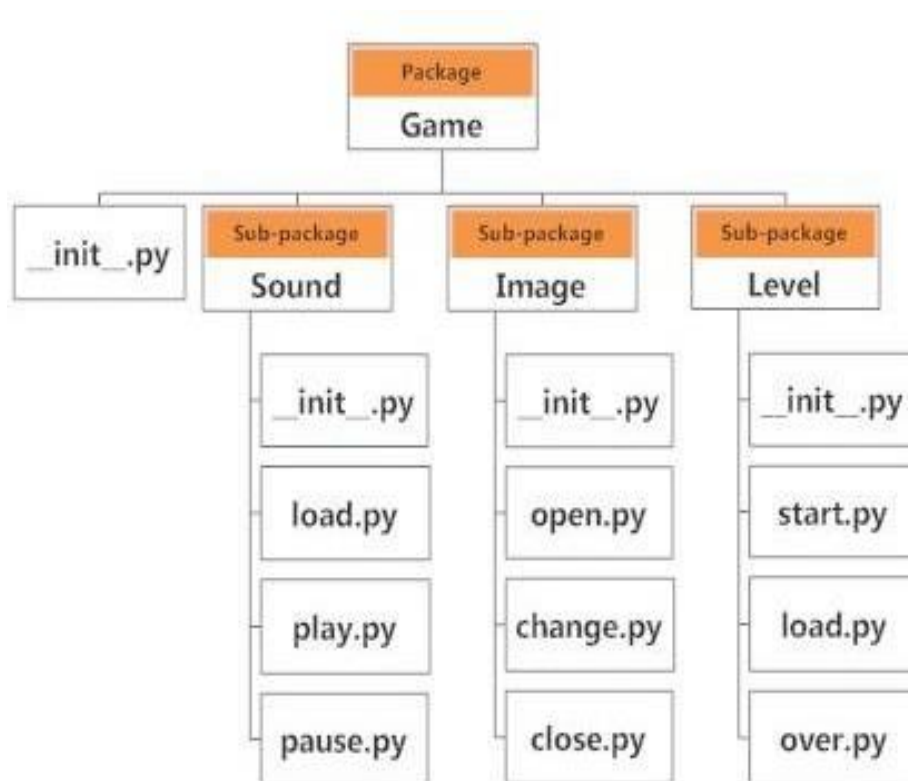
```
>>>from math import *
```

```
>>>print("The value of pi is", pi)
```

- We imported all the definitions from the math module. This makes all names except those beginning with an underscore, visible in our scope.

Explore packages:

- We don't usually store all of our files in our computer in the same location. We use a well-organized hierarchy of directories for easier access.
- Similar files are kept in the same directory, for example, we may keep all the songs in the "music" directory. Analogous to this, Python has packages for directories and modules for files.
- As our application program grows larger in size with a lot of modules, we place similar modules in one package and different modules in different packages. This makes a project (program) easy to manage and conceptually clear.
- Similar, as a directory can contain sub-directories and files, a Python package can have sub-packages and modules.
- A directory must contain a file named `__init__.py` in order for Python to consider it as a package. This file can be left empty but we generally place the initialization code for that package in this file.
- Here is an example. Suppose we are developing a game, one possible organization of packages and modules could be as shown in the figure below.



- If a file named `_init_.py` is present in a package directory, it is invoked when the package or a module in the package is imported. This can be used for execution of package initialization code, such as initialization of package-level data.
- For example `__init__.py`
- A **module** in the package can access the global by importing it in turn
- We can import modules from packages using the dot (.) operator.
- For example, if want to import the start module in the above example, it is done as follows.
- `import Game.Level.start`
- Now if this module contains a function named `select_difficulty()`, we must use the full name to reference it.
- `Game.Level.start.select_difficulty(2)`

- If this construct seems lengthy, we can import the module without the package prefix as follows.
- `from Game.Level import start`
- We can now call the function simply as follows.
- **`start.select_difficulty(2)`**
- Yet another way of importing just the required function (or class or variable) from a module within a package would be as follows.
- **`from Game.Level.start import select_difficulty`**
- Now we can directly call this function.
- **`select_difficulty(2)`**

Examples:

#Write a python program to create a package (II YEAR),sub-package(CSE),modules(student) and create read and write function to module

```
def read():
```

```
    print("Department")
```

```
def write():
```

```
    print("Student")
```

Output:

```
>>> from IIYEAR.CSE import student
```

```
>>> student.read()
```

```
Department
```

```
>>> student.write()
```

```
Student
```

```
>>> from IIYEAR.CSE.student import read
```

```
>>> read
```

```
<function read at 0x03BD1070>
```

```
>>> read()
```

Department

```
>>> from IIYEAR.CSE.student import write
```

```
>>> write()
```

Student

Write a program to create and import module?

```
def add(a=4,b=6):
```

```
    c=a+b
```

```
    return c
```

Output:

C:\Users\MRCET\AppData\Local\Programs\Python\Python38-32\IIYEAR\modu1.py

```
>>> from IIYEAR import modu1
```

```
>>> modu1.add()
```

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Write a program to create and rename the existing module.

```
def a():
```

```
    print("hello world")
```

```
a()
```

Output:

C:/Users/MRCET/AppData/Local/Programs/Python/Python38-32/IIYEAR/exam.py

hello world

```
>>> import exam as ex
```

hello world